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Mr. & Mrs. H. Eyben Celebrate Golden Wedding

On December 16th, 1897 at the town of Dowse, Iowa, Miss Dora Johnson became the bride of Henry August Eyben. On December 16, 1947, fifty years later, the same couple observed their Golden Wedding at Vermilion surrounded by their five daughters and five sons, nineteen of their grandchildren and 200 friends. The gathering to honor this esteemed couple was held in the Elks hall. They were filled with good wishes, deluged with gifts—all tributes to an honored pioneer couple who have contributed much to the development of our community and whose association with the district dates back to the very early days.

Following their marriage in 1897 Mr. and Mrs. Eyben continued to reside at Dowse. In 1906 Mr. Eyben made his first trip to Vermilion with a carload of settlers effects. He filed on a homestead in the Cummings district and June of 1907 found the family on the homestead, the site of the present family home. It was a trying summer to move, the winter had been a long hard one, the snow stayed late, hard frosts were recorded every month of that summer. To Mrs Eyben's disgust her washing frose stiff on the line in July.

Nothing daunted, Mr. and Mrs. Eyben persevered and the intervening forty years saw their holdings increase by dint of hard work, industry, family co-operation and efficiency. The homestead quarter was increased to sections of land, their modest little house to a large family home.

The talents of the family were freely given to community efforts and progress, school board and municipal council, U.F.A. and farmer co-operative movements profited by the advice of the thoughtful and quiet spoken Henry.

The family profited by and showed appreciation of the care and guidance of their parents. Of the five daughters four originally settled near the home farm. All five sons followed in the footsteps of their father and have already proven themselves successful progressive farmers. They too settled near the old home and their parents.

It was in recognition of these fine qualities of Mr. and Mrs. Eyben, of their success in their vocation of farming, their success as parents, homemakers, as neighbors and community workers, that the hundreds of relatives and friends gathered Tuesday evening, and the sociability, good fellowship and genuine friendliness pervading the gathering was that feeling so characteristic of our rural western people.

At the reception Mr. Wm. B. Elford made a very capable and interesting master of ceremonies. The opening number was a chorus by the Eyben grandchildren, 19 of whom were gathered on the stage. Others contributing to the entertainment were Mrs. M. Hill, Mr. Tom Watts, Mrs. P. Jensen, Mr. Geo. Martin, while Mr. Elford contributed some very humorous numbers.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Hardy Wear, an old friend of 40 years standing. Mr. Buster Harle on behalf of the community in which the bride and groom resided so long, presented them with a chest of silver. Mr. M. Hill presented Mrs. Eyben with a bouquet, while there was a great profusion of individual gifts.

To the toast and to the presentations Mr. and Mrs. Eyben replied with sincere words of thanks and appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eyben have this past summer retired from active farming and have moved into Vermilion where they have purchased a home. They have a family of five daughters and five sons and of these two daughters and one son live away from the district. They have 24 grandchildren, 19 of whom were present at the Golden Wedding. The daughters are Mrs. W. C. Martin (Marie), Mrs. George Caron (Dora), Mrs. Norman Armstrong (Augusta) all of Vermilion and district; Mrs. M. Winge (Clara) of Portland, Oregon; Mrs. John Taylor of Edmonton. Of the sons all live in the old home district with the exception of Herman who recently moved to New Westminster. Frank and John have large farming interests and the two youngest sons, George and Henry operate the home place.

Presiding at the tea tables were Mrs. W. R. Staden and Mrs. B. H. Rogan. Music for the dance was by other old friends, Aldous Kent, Fred Brimacombe and Bud Staden. Serv-

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"LOOKING BACK"

Happenings in Wainwright and District for the Year 1947

JANUARY 8th

A quiet afternoon wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford of Heath on December 23rd, when their youngest daughter Evelyn Moffat became the bride of Mr. James Eglie of Wainwright. Rev. Brant of St. Thomas (Ang.) Church, Wainwright, officiated.

Miss Lillian Tweedy, R.N. was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Turner over the week-end.

S/Sgt. Clifford Wilson returned home from overseas on December 29 after serving nearly five years with the Canadian Army.

Mrs. Chas. Hutchison returned home on Saturday last from an extended visit with relatives in Toronto and Alberta.

Mrs. J. Whittle sailed last week on the Queen Elizabeth where she will spend a few months visiting friends and relatives in England.

Mrs. M. B. Lally accompanied by her daughter Joyce who was home from Winnipeg for the holidays spent Christmas with her sister at Melville, Sask.

Miss Glenna Brunker arrived on Monday last from Vanvouver to visit with her sister Mrs. W. C. Huntingford.

The marriage took place recently in Edmonton at St. Joseph's Cathedral of Miss Margaret Mahoney of McCafferty, to Mr. Arthur Smith of Wainwright.

Miss Patricia M. Spence of Calgary commenced duties January 22nd as assistant to the Secretary-Treasurer of the M.D. of Wainwright No. 61, replacing Miss H. Klassen, accountant, who resigned December 21st, 1946.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis on Sunday, December 28, when covers were laid for ten.

JANUARY 15th

Miss Marion and Gladys Haynes of Saskatoon spent Christmas with their father Mr. M. M. Haynes at Greenshields.

At the annual meeting of the Wainwright Branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. held Monday January 13th Mr. C. Horn was elected to the office of President for the next year.

Old time residents of the Irma district Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton marked their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday with a family reunion luncheon at their home.

Rev. Father Mogan officiated at the wedding in St. John's Chapel, Toronto, of Clara Elizabeth Dietrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dietrich of Fabyan, and Mr. John Malcolm Lawley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawley, Toronto. Yellow and white mums decorated the chapel.

One of the very early and respected settlers of the Greenshields district passed away at his home in Wainwright on Sunday, January 12th in the person of Mr. Theodore Smith.

Another Wainwright business changed hands last week when Mr. A. Kristenson, owner of Tony's Service Station, sold the garage and service to two newcomers to the business, Mr. L. Dahl and Mr. J. Stranahan.

Mr. Duane (Dinny) Ganderton left last Monday for Edmonton where he will enter Alberta Business College for the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Patterson and small son John left this morning for a motor trip to Bashaw, Calgary, Lethbridge and points south.

Due to the highway being drifted in east of town the bus had to stay over in town Monday night, however the government snow plow arrived Tuesday making the road passable again.

JANUARY 22nd

Miss Blodwyn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jones of Heath, was united in marriage to Mr. George Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilkinson of Edgerton, at a pretty ceremony at the home of the bride's parents on Friday, January 17th at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. W. A. Whelan officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tory were "At Home" to their friends on Saturday, January 18th, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary when well over one hundred guests called. Receiving with Mr. and Mrs. Tory was their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Peacock.

A quiet pretty wedding took place in St. Thomas (Ang.) Church, Wainwright, on Wednesday, January 8th, when Miss Marie Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hughes of Wainwright, became the bride of Sgt. Lino Basso, third son of Mr. Jos. Basso and the late Mrs. Basso of Belleview, Alberta. Rev. H. G. Brant officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKay and daughter Sharon of Edgerton left Saturday for a vacation in Toronto and other points east.

It is good to see Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLeod around again after their recent auto accident on the Edmonton—Wainwright highway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gray were in town last week from Edmonton preparing to move their household effects to their new home in Edmonton.

Mrs. Willis Brink who recently underwent an operation in the local hospital is improving and expects to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daugherty accompanied by their daughter Hilda spent the past week in town renewing acquaintances returning to their home in Edmonton the first of the week. They have just recently returned from the Isle of Man.

Mr. Ed. Turner, Cpl. D. Beeching, and Mr. D. Featherstone-Haugh were visitors to Edmonton recently in connection with the local Sea Cadet organizations.

JANUARY 29th

The annual meeting of the Peace Memorial Centre was held in the Town Hall on Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. A good attendance was in evidence and Dr. H. C. Wallace was chosen to head the organization as president for the ensuing year.

There passed away in an Edmonton hospital on Tuesday, January 21, Mr. Benjamin Hodgkins one of the early residents of Wainwright. The late Mr. Hodgkins had been ill for some time and was recently moved to an Edmonton hospital for further treatment but to no avail.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Plaxton went to Edmonton recently when Mrs. Plaxton entered a hospital to undergo an operation and at last reports she is progressing nicely.

Norman Miles and Garnet Watson of Edgerton left with two trucks on Tuesday en route to Great Slave Lake to haul freight.

We note that Miss Isabelle MacKenzie received her cap at the General Hospital in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. R. A. Snyder returned home last week after spending a short holiday visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stevens of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon left on Thursday for Vancouver and from there plan to proceed to Tacoma, Wash. to spend a two-month holiday visiting relatives at various points.

FEBRUARY 5th

Two of the local curling rinks are in the city this week to compete in the annual bonspiel being held there. Personnel of these rinks are Skip, B. Cowley; S. Ryan, F. Glaum and C. Reynolds and Skip H. A. Koch; R. Ganderton, E. Ganderton and R. Le Blanc.

Dr. J. Middlemass is now the owner of a new Dodge coupe which he recently purchased from Reynold's Garage.

Rev. Cannon Smith arrived this week from Athabasca to take over his duties as minister of St. Thomas (Ang.) Church replacing Rev. Brant who was here for several months and will now return to Edmonton.

Mrs. E. Wilkins returned home from Edmonton last week where she was visiting with her daughter, Mrs. A. Anderson.

Dr. J. G. Middlemass, a familiar figure in civil affairs for the last decade, and Mayor of Wainwright for the past 12 years has announced his retirement from public office this week. His reason—"To give new blood a chance."

Mrs. Dorothy Kidd and son returned to their home in Boston Bar, B.C. on February 1st after visiting her mother following the death of her father Mr. Theadore Smith.

The bus from Edmonton has not been able to go through to Edgerton for several days due to the drifted roads.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mockford, Heath have returned from the coast where they spent a couple of months visiting relatives and friends at Vancouver and Powell River.

FEBRUARY 12th

A large number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. W. Seale on Monday, February 3rd, to honor the occasion of Mrs. P. O'Reilley's 80th birthday.

Master John Henry Darling, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Darling passed away in the Wainwright hospital on Wednesday, February 5th at the age of eleven years after an illness of almost four months.

Mrs. McRae of Vancouver, B.C. arrived on Saturday from Vancouver, B.C., to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dixon Montjoy in town.

Congratulations are extended to Miss Tiny Fon on winning the Theta Sig award for Volunteer War Service work during the war, being the first Chinese girl ever to win this award in Seattle.

Mr. Simon Killey leaves today (Tuesday) to return to his old home at Dovre, Norway, for an extended visit with his mother and other relatives. He will sail from New York on February 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jones of the Heath district plan to leave this week for an extended holiday with Mrs. Jone's mother in Wales.

A social evening and bridal shower in honor of Miss Jeanette Croteau sponsored by Mrs. Hazel Parkhurst and Mrs. C. Alexander was held last Wednesday evening in the IOOF hall.

On Wednesday, February 5th a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClennon in Gilt Edge in honor of the 32nd wedding anniversary of this popular couple.

FEBRUARY 19th

Men from all over Alberta congregated in Wainwright to start winter training exercises on Monday, February 17th and will be at the military training camp until February 26 for training in Exercise Huskey.

A former resident of Wainwright, Mrs. Clara Barton of Mirror, passed away in the Stettler hospital on January 29, 1947.

The rink of local curlers skipped by D. Beeching supported by Jack Dawson, T. Nugent and A. Rattray, who journeyed to Chauvin last week for the bonspiel were successful in returning with the Grand Challenge Cup.

A pretty wedding took place in the Blessed Sacrament church on Wednesday a.m., February 12th, when Miss Jeanette Croteau of Wainwright became the bride of Mr. Patrick Malone of Jasper. Rev. Father J. P. Ehmann performed the marriage ceremony.

The congregation of St. Thomas' (Ang.) Church held a social hour in the Parish Hall after their annual meeting, when they met and welcomed their new Minister, Rev. Canon F. E. Smith who has just recently arrived here from St. James Cathedral in Peace River, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Church spent the week-end in Jasper visiting with Mrs. Church's sister, Mrs. B. Hodkiss Jr. and family.

Operational wings were received recently by Mr. and Mrs. H. Odfield for their son Clarence who was reported missing, presumed dead by the RCAF almost two years ago.

FEBRUARY 26th

On February 14, 1947, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boldue were guests of honor at a banquet to mark their nineteenth wedding anniversary.

Approximately 500 men, women and children were guests of the local John Deere agents, Tory and Peacock recently when their annual moving picture fasture was shown in the Elite Theatre.

A wedding of interest here took place in St. Andrews (B.C.) church in Edmonton on Saturday, February 15th, when Miss Madeline Bedard of Edmonton became the bride of Mr. Marcel L. (Mickey) Michon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Michon of Wainwright. Rev. Father Murphy former parish priest in Wainwright, performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Geo. Arkwright and Mrs. O. Griffiths returned last week from Edmonton where they attended the Anglican Diocese Synod as delegates from the local W.A.

We understand Mr. Arthur Harden has purchased the P. Patterson house and will be moving his family in shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Daniels returned to their home in Greenshields on Wednesday after spending two months visiting with their daughter Mrs. J. Tilbury at Melita, Man.

MARCH 5th

Mr. Jim Robinson, son of Mayor and Mrs. J. Robinson of Wainwright was seriously injured in an accident which occurred during the barrel jumping contest at the annual WHS Carnival on Saturday night last, and will be required to wear a plaster cast for a while.

Mrs. G. D. Jobb entertained the manager and staff of the Bank of Montreal at a buffet supper and social evening on Monday in honor of Miss Ida Knapp who is leaving shortly for Calgary where she has been transferred to a branch of the B of M and the Rev. A. R. Hancock who for the past month has been visiting in Ontario and the Maritimes returned home last week and informs The Star that he is accepting a call East to the historic St. Paul's Church at Hawkesbury, Ont. early in April.

Miss Elsie Haywood is a patient at the local hospital having undergone an operation on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregor McCluskey were in Edmonton at the week-end and while there attended the Glenora Ice Carnival.

Misses Pat Harden and Gladys Tory were in Edmonton last week-to the CKRT conference in Edmonton as delegates from the local group.

We are very pleased to report that Mr. Dick McKay has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be around again and was down town on Tuesday last for the first time since fall.

MARCH 12th

Sympathies are extended to Mr. Bert Kett who last week received news of the death of his sister at Orillia, Ont.

Mrs. W. J. Huntingford and Mrs. Rossie Taylor left on Sunday for Calgary where they will attend the Rebekah Assembly Sessions being held there. Mrs. Taylor will officially represent Adeline Rebekah Lodge No. 54.

Mrs. G. Bottaro was the guest of honor at a surprise birthday party on Thursday evening, March 6th, when about twenty-five friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. Simon Killey, to mark her 69th birthday.

Miss Muriel Baxter arrived on Monday from Pulaski, Tenn., to visit friends and renew acquaintances in town.

Mrs. H. E. Buckle has as her guest this week her sister who is visiting here from Estevan, Sask.

Mr. B. McCann received on Friday a.m. from an extended holiday spent with relatives in Winnipeg, Detroit and other points in the East.

MARCH 19th

Many of her old friends and acquaintances will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Maria Pilski Tansley who passed away after a brief illness in Edmonton on Wednesday, March 12th.

Last Thursday night saw the finals played in the mixed curling bonspiel held during the past two weeks. There were 86 rinks entered and fun and good sportsmanship were the keynote of the whole affair.

Connaught Chapter Order of the Eastern Star entertained the Masons and their wives at a social evening of cards last Wednesday.

Rev. Father MacDonald of Ottawa was a guest recently at the home of his aunt Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie.

Mrs. F. J. Lepper left this week for Brooks, Alberta, where she will visit her son Harry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon have returned home from an extended holiday at Jasper, Vancouver and other points west and report an enjoyable trip.

Mrs. E. J. Cameron of Travers, Alberta, returned home last week after a visit with her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Watts.

Mr. Jack Peacock accompanied by Mr. Tom Sheridan left last week for a trip trucking freight into Great Slave Lake, Messrs. Clarence Fraser and Lawrence Dahl are also trucking there.

The Fabyan district lost one of its well known and prominent farmers last week by the death of Mr. Walter Gray who passed away Wednesday, March 12th in the Wainwright hospital.

MARCH 26th

The announcement was made last Saturday from the M.D. office that all trucks, trailer and other heavy traffic would until further notice be banned from municipal roads due to the sudden spring thaws and warm weather.

Mr. T. Lissimore was elected President of the Wainwright and District Co-operative Association Ltd., at a meeting held on Wednesday, March 19th.

Mrs. J. Paul of Saskatoon is visiting with her daughter Mrs. D. Krull in town.

Miss Muriel and Mr. Bob Wilbraham left on Sunday morning's train for an extended vacation via Victoria to San Fransisco and San Jose, Cal., where they will visit relatives.

Mr. Reil LaFrance left last week for Toronto where he will visit relatives and accompany his parents, Mr and Mrs. W. LaFrance and sister, Mrs. W. Johnson, who spent the winter in the East, home.

Mrs. Bill Cornfield of the Pelican district recently returned from an extended trip to the United States and Eastern Canada.

Mr. J. Hughes has had a new electric refrigerator installed in his store at Heath, making a real improvement.

APRIL 2nd

Something new in entertainment was held Friday in the Separate School Auditorium when the New Canadian Club in conjunction with the Fashion Shop presented a Spring Fashion Show and Tea to well over 200 of an audience.

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday, March 26th at 2:00 p.m. in the Irma United Church when Miss Awilda May Fitzpatrick of Holyoke, Alta., became the bride of Mr. Stephen Pioker of Fabyan. Rev. H. W. Ingles performed the marriage ceremony.

Mr. Kann Tory arrived home at the week-end from Calgary having received his discharge from the active army at M.D. No. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reynolds arrived home on Friday after spending the winter months at Riverside, California.

Mrs. L. Baxter left on Sunday night to return to her home at Pulaski, Tenn., after spending several months with her mother, Mrs. B. Davison.

Mrs. F. Aykroyd and son George Easter returned home after spending the winter at Kingston, Ont. Mrs. Thomas Rawn an old-timer of the Wainwright district accompanied them and is renewing acquaintances here.

Mrs. B. Davison left on Sunday to visit for a time with relatives and friends in Winnipeg, Man.

APRIL 9th

Sympathies of her friends are extended to Mrs. Harold Higgins (nee Ethel Harris), who was bereaved by the sudden death of her husband on Sunday, March 23rd.

The Gilt Edge district lost one of its early settlers last week by the death of Mr. George Tondu who passed away at the home of his son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Lavergne on Friday morning, April 4th, at the age of eighty-nine years.

A miscellaneous shower was held on Wednesday afternoon, April 2nd, at the home of Mrs. A. Kleinmeyer in honor of Miss Lillian Rotti, a bride-elect of the near future.

It has been reported that the geese crows, robins and meadow larks are back and the crocus's are budding, so Spring can't be very far away.

Mrs. A. J. Pierce arrived from Fairbanks, Alaska on Wednesday of last week and is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. Peacock in Gilt Edge.

After an extended stay in the local hospital Miss Georgina Gardiner returned to her home on Sunday and best wishes are extended for a speedy convalescence.

Mrs. Roasie Taylor and son Garry spent the week-end visiting relatives in Jasper.

Sincere sympathy of a large number of friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Middlemass on the loss of their baby daughter Charmayne who passed away on Sunday April 6th at the age of eighteen months.

APRIL 16th

Mrs. E. Peterson is enjoying a visit from her sister Mrs. O. Neil who is here from Toronto for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Rake and family were guests last week at the home

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Ladies Aux. B.E.S.L. Pack Xmas Parcels

The Legion Canteen was a very busy place one afternoon before Christmas when several ladies of the Legion Auxiliary met to pack and ship away the Christmas gifts which had been placed under the Christmas tree which was sponsored jointly by the Legion and its Ladies Auxiliary. Owing to the generosity of the donors it was possible to send 206 parcels to the Charles Camsell Veterans pavilion and the Veterans Childrens Orphanage in Edmonton, and also a box sent to our own local hospital.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Legion wish to take this opportunity of thanking one and all who made this possible, and let's hope that next year we may be able to double this amount and be able to cheer up so many more of the thousands who gave up so much for us. Many days of parcel wrapping and other duties connected with this project was put in by the Ladies, and we are grateful to them. The Hut in the meantime looked beautiful with its Christmas tree and other decorations, which was placed in there to take the parcels.

Ladies please don't forget the Annual Meeting on Monday evening, January 19th at 8 p.m. sharp. Election of officers.

Unfortunate Accident On Skiing Party

Miss Mildred Alexander invited her cousins to a skiing party on Christmas evening. All were enjoying themselves until about 10:30 p.m. when Miss Alexander had the misfortune to be thrown from her skis causing her arm to be broken. Our sympathies are extended to her as it was only four days before her wedding.

A bridal shower had been planned for the bride-elect the following day by the ladies of the New Canadian Club, but was cancelled because of this unfortunate accident and the gift from the Club was presented to Miss Alexander at her home by one of the ladies, together with the best wishes of the club for many years of future happiness.

Ladies Curling Draws

Tuesday, Jan. 6th—7:00 to 9:00
McCluskey — Dundas
Bond — Ganderton
Buckle — McNally
Madill — Davison

Friday, Jan. 9th—9:00 to 11:00
Roberts — Bradley
Carter — Stevenson
MacGregor — Davignon
Lane — Bond

Saturday, Jan. 10th—7:30 to 9:30
Dundas — Madill
McCluskey — Davison
McNally — Roberts
Ganderton — MacGregor

Tuesday, Jan. 13th—7:00 to 9:00
Buckle — Davignon
Madill — Stevenson
Bradley — MacGregor
Lane — Davison

Friday, Jan. 16th—9:00 to 11:00
Buckle — Dundas
Madill — Carter
Davignon — McNally
Bond — MacGregor

Saturday, Jan. 17th—7:30 to 9:30
Bradley — Davison
Lane — McCluskey
Carter — Roberts
Ganderton — Stevenson

More people are maimed by broken homes than by all our accidents and wars.

The Weavers --- 1948

A piece of tapestry has just been put into its loom
And you and I are the weavers—
So let us be cheerful—not add to the gloom
But by kindness of deed—help the grievers,
God is the giver—and "Time" the loom
It will never be renewed—but has to last
So let us be honest with ourselves
And make sure the colors are fast.
The finest tapestries as we know
Need careful, constant care—
And we must guard—"the now" as we go
To keep the bright colors there
And analyse the thread we use—
Studded with kindness making it rare
That it may harmonize and not abuse;
So we always stay in unity
And help our co-operative community.

—G.B.

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PROTECTING RESOURCES

The attitude which is being taken by some Alberta newspapers in respect to the decision of the Saskatchewan government to get some revenue from that province's clay deposits which a benevolent Liberal government was giving away to an Alberta company, is a bit ridiculous.

A Saskatchewan man, G. Urwin of Saskatoon, writing to the Hanna Herald gives a good answer, when he writes "As a citizen of Saskatchewan, using both coal and oil from Alberta, I am aware of the Alberta government getting a royalty on every ton of coal and every barrel of oil produced—and I have no quarrel with Alberta on that score. They are Alberta's resources and Alberta should benefit from their depletion—would it not be more charitable to credit the Saskatchewan government with a similar motive rather than suggest that Saskatchewan is trying to harm Alberta industries?"

The Saskatchewan government does not intend to allow the province's resources to be exploited without a fair return coming to the people of Saskatchewan, Alberta or Timbuctoo is to be exempt from that rule.

—People Weekly

1948 IS UP TO US

As we face the New Year most of us seem to lack the optimism and confidence which was so evident a year ago. Ever increasing prices and critical shortages in some commodities have created a longing to "get back to normal," a phrase which we roll from our tongues with practiced ease; a phrase oft repeated but seldom given serious thought. Actually "getting back to normal" now, in the sense most of us think we mean, would cause something of a revolution.

In "getting back to normal" most people hazily remember some happy exisence prior to the war. To the economist, "getting back to normal" would mean getting back to the 1939 price level and all it implied. Let us consider a moment of our position in 1939:—think hard!

Early in 1939 you were probably wondering where your boy leaving university was going to find employment. Probably you were keeping his younger brother in High School another year because he couldn't find anything else to do. Were you any too secure in your own job? Actually there were one-half million people unemployed in Canada in 1939.

Western farmers were receiving about 52c per bushel for their wheat at the elevator, just about the cost of production, and good old 72c butter was bringing from 15c to 26c per lb. Farmers looked longingly at lighting plants and water systems but couldn't quite afford to buy them. The farm mortgage was pretty well holding its own while the farmer struggled with the interest. Actually the past six years have cleared off 75% of these mortgages and farmers are enjoying a better standard of living than at any time in our history.

Few business men would swap their business position in 1939 for what they enjoy now, just offer them the 1939 value and see.

Perhaps most of us are a little afraid of the future, but if instead of price control, we could only practice national self-control; if, instead of clawing frantically at our fellowmen, each striving to sit at the top of the spiral, we could be content to sit on a level with them; if, as a nation, we were willing to trade as well as sell, then we could look forward with confidence, eagerness and pride through the open door to 1943 instead of looking "backward" to "normal."

THOSE WHO FOOL US MAY YET RULE US

Some years ago one of Canada's most respected political leaders discovered that many communists had found their way into his party and were making their influence felt in the party councils. He declared his intention of purging them from the party. But that was not easy, for he had no way of knowing who were communists and who were not.

At that time the present writer asked a known communist why he continued to support a party that did not want him, and whose philosophy he did not accept. His reply was amazingly frank. He said: "We will continue to support that party so long as we can make use of them We are not concerned about their philosophy. Our aim is to get them to adopt our tactics; to stir up discontent, dissension and distrust. As long as we can keep them doing that, they will be preparing the ground for communism, and if they should get into power, we will know how to ditch their amiable leaders and take control ourselves"

Here is a challenge to our democracy, the like of which it has never faced before. Stated briefly it is this: to create such distrust and confusion in the minds of the people that they will not be able to think clearly, will not listen to reason, and will become an easy prey to those who know how to handle them.

The success of a democracy depends on the understanding and the loyalty of its citizens. The success of the communists in their efforts to destroy democracy depends on the confusion and disloyalty they can create among its citizens. If they succeed in fooling us, they may succeed in ruling us.

We are strongly of the opinion that this world in the future, as in the past, will be ruled by the men who can do it. Are we going to allow the communists to do it? The answer rests with us as individual citizens. If we countenance their kind of tactics in any political party we are playing into their hands and helping them to win.

—Printed Word.

THE NATION'S BUSINESS

by ottawa observer

Taking stock

As the New Year opens observers in the capital city of Canada are taking stock of the fortunes and possibilities of our federal political parties. Our political history shows the great importance of the standing and expectations of the parties in the provincial legislatures in assessing their place in Canada's parliament.

The West coast

The end of the old year saw the retirement of British Columbia's Liberal Premier who led a coalition government—and the selection of a new leader by the Liberal Party who has been asked by the Lieutenant-Governor to form a new government. As no party has a clear majority there is great interest in the probabilities of a new coalition government and the possibilities of its early appeal for the confidence of the people. When the personnel of the new government is announced it is expected to give some clue to its chance of reelection. The present standing in the legislature is Liberals 19, Progressive Conservatives 11, C.C.F. 11, Labour 1. If the coalition government does not continue the Liberal Party believes it could get a clear majority at the polls while the C.C.F. believes that it would gain control of the government.

The prairie provinces

Not less interesting is the position of the parties in the prairie provinces with two governments out of three controlled by Canada's third and fourth parties. Both Alberta and Saskatchewan governments are expected to appeal to the people within six months.

In Alberta, where the Social Crediters have held unchallenged sway since 1935, their position is being seriously challenged for the first time. The independent movement which was started by the Liberals and Conservatives has been dissolved and the P. C. Party has withdrawn from the field. The Liberal Party has elected a new leader and is aggressively mobilizing its forces. The CCF is continuing a 2nd fight to gain a foothold. The present standing is S.C 51, Independents 3, C.C.F. 2, Veteran Soldier 1 and Armed Forces 3. One of the armed forces representatives Harper Prowse is now the leader of the Liberal Party.

Saskatchewan, swept by the C.C.F. in the wartime election or 1944 also faces the electors soon. The Liberal Party under a new leader, Walter Tucker, M.P., has obviously made a strong comeback in the regard of the electorate. The Progressive Conservatives, without representation in the legislature for more than 13 years, will nominate a number of candidates but are not considered to have any considerable strength. The Social Credit Party are putting on a province wide campaign. The extreme boasting of the C.C.F. leaders indicates that they are worried about the outcome of an election. The present standing of the legislature is C.C.F. 47, Liberal 5, active service representatives 3. Observers here remember that the Liberal Party was beaten before and in the following election (1934) came back defeating every candidate of the former union government.

In Manitoba the Garson government, a coalition of Liberals, Conservatives and Social Crediters appears strongly unchallenged. The C.C.F. party was also in the coalition when it was formed and later withdrew. The present standing is Liberal Progressive 26, P.C. 14, Social Credit 2, C.C.F. 10, Independent 2, Communist 1, and no election is expected until 1949 or 1950.

In Ontario the Conservative government of Premier Drew continues to dominate the scene. The Liberal Party is putting on a strong campaign for re-election under its new farmer leader Farquhar Oliver. The C.C.F. Party has re-inforced its tie-up with the leaders of the C.C.L. labour union. The present standing Conservative 66, Liberal 11, C.C.F. 8 others 5.

Quebec presents a different picture with a provincial party in command under Nationalist Duplessis. The Liberal Party is a strong challenger and is given a better-than-ever chance to win. The Social Credit Party is putting on a strong campaign under a new name. The P.C.'s are not in the provincial field and the C.C.F. party is not a factor.

In the 3 Maritime provinces the Liberal Party continues in favour. The Progressive Conservatives come second in N.B. and P.E.I. with the C.C.F. having the only two opposition seats in Nova Scotia but failing to make any impression in N.B. and P.E.I. The Social Crediters are not a factor.

IN OUR TIME

By Howie Hunt

"He was just elected to be the new president—said he knew a fighter who could lick JOE LOUIS!"

Do You Remember?

Taken From The Star Files

TWENTY YEARS AGO
January 4, 1928

A large crowd of sympathizers and friends gathered at the United Church to pay their final respects to Charles F. Borden, Mr. Bordens remains had arrived from Drumheller, where death occurred, on the morning train, for interment in Wainwright.

Miss Margaret Miles of Irma and Mr. George Armstrong of Fabyan were united in Holy Matrimony by Rev. G. Pybus at the United Church last week.

The New Year was joyously ushered in at the big dance given in the theatre. A very large crowd was in attendance and from all reports it was one of the best New Years entertainments to be held in Wainwright.

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FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
January 4th, 1932

Donald Alexander McDougall, one of Wainwright's pioneer citizens, passed away at the hospital yesterday at the age of 65 years.

Mr. W. Trimble, who has been bookkeeper at the Dupre garage for the past two years, has secured a position with the Industrial Finance Co. in Edmonton and is now making preparations to move.

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TEN YEARS AGO
January 5, 1938

Fire last week destroyed a small building on the Torgeson farm near Baxter Lake. The building was being used as store room and pump house. Origin of the fire is unknown.

Mayor Dr. J. A. Middlemass and Mrs. Middlemass left early Sunday morning by auto for Los Angeles, California, where they plan to spend the balance of winter.

Making their first start on home ice this season, the Wainwright Forts absorbed a stinging 9-2 defeat at the hands of the Hughenden Red Wings.

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FIVE YEARS AGO
January 6, 1943

A group of the Wainwright Sea Cadets consisting of C.P.O. MacKenzie, P.O.R. Wilbraham, Leading Seamen Coleman, Harper and Foster and Signaller L. McLeod attended a refresher couree at the naval barracks in Edmonton last week.

On Monday last week Rev A. D. Richard conducted the marriage at the Wainwright United Church between R. A. Doriand of Edgerton and Mary Elizabeth Smith of Hilhstone.

Joe Rutledge Says

ALTERNATIVES TO AUSTERITY

By Joseph Lister Rutledge

It is rather easy to become confused by the apparent contradictions of these days. We are producing more than we have ever produced, about $19 billion all told. Our industrial production is 10% above last year. Our exports are at a record peace-time level. Employment is at a maximum. Yet, in the face of these circumstances we find ourselves faced by sharp restrictions that border on austerity.

Yet it should not be too difficult to understand. Mr. R. S. Waldie, President of the Imperial Bank of Canada in his annual address explained it simply enough. We are trying to do too many things in too much of a hurry and at too little personal sacrifice. "We are trying to rebuild inventories, repair war damage and execute all the projects deferred in the war years. If we continue to attempt it we are bound to fail—Unless there are unexpectedly great increases in output per man-hour, we cannot produce all we are asking to consume and build all the houses and the factories, and do all the re-equipping of them we have planned, and at the same time export enough to pay for our imports and implements, our undertakings to the United Kingdom and other allied countries. The difficulty of accomplishing our programs has been increased by the inadequate output per worker."

This statement is simple enough either on its face or in its implications. We must either demand and use less, less than we can pay for, or we must produce more, and as employment is at such a high level, that suggests more per man-hour. Our difficulties arise from the fact that we have not been ready to accept either alternative. We have not produced more per worker, but rather less and for higher wages. We have not been satisfied to do without. We bid high for goods inducing higher prices and new wage demands. Where the goods were not available at home we made up the deficiency by purchasing from the United States. We had goods to sell to the United States but we wanted more of them too. So instead of attempting to approximate a balance in our purchases and sales, we steadily widened a gap between them and had to pay the difference in U.S. dollars. In this process we have reduced the balance necessary to protect our essential purchases of coal and oil and other commodities to a dangerous level.

It is significant that federal party fortunes follow very closely the fortunes of their provincial organizations. The Liberal Party is in control or a contender in all provinces, the C.C.F. are organized in all but are considered a factor in only seven, the P.C.'s are organized in 7.

The Star does not hold itself responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents. All letters must be signed by the writer of same and should not be longer than 300 words.

The Editor
Wainwright Star
Wainwright, Alberta
Dear Sir:

While visiting recently n the U.S.A I took notes on the liquor question at the worlds W.C.T.U. Convention held in New York, a lecture was given by Homer A. Rodeheaver in which he says doctors know the truth about alcohol, Why don't they give it to the people? Alcoholism is Americans greatest health problem, and it is on the increase. There is now in our country 50,000,000 drinkers, 3,000,000 excessive drinkers, 750,000 chronic drunkards. Last year we spent over eight billion for liquos and over sixteen billion for crime. The greatest tragedy of all is the fact that enough grain is used for liquor each year that would feed 4,223,054 people for an entire year giving each one 3 lbs. each day. When we think of the many who have starved to death and might have been alive today if that could have been converted to their use. No government should allow grain in any country to be used for liquor as long as there is a starving man or woman, boy or girl in the world.

We must not forget the liquor problem is a health problem, the economic effect is poverty, the civic effect is lawlessness, the effect upon character is cruelty, idleness and untruthfulness, the effect upon the home is disruption. All this comes from the fact that alcohol is a habit forming poison.

Why do we hear so much about Juvenile Delinquency? One might as well blame a pointer pup for being worthless when nobody tried to train him. When a boy or girl sees mother or dad going in and out of the liquor joints, just what do we expect of them? This kind of training cannot be expected to bring forth anything but delinquency. I wonder if those mothers and dads who frequent such places are capable of giving the proper training to young folks that will prevent the juvenile delinquency that we all disapprove of so much? And Canada according to population is not any better. Let us hope and strive for better things in the future.

TO MY SON

Do you know that your soul is of my soul such part
That you seem to be fiber and core of my heart
None other can pain me as you dear can do
None other can please me or praise me as you
Remember the world will be quick with its blame
If shadow or stain ever darkens your name
Like mother like son, is a saying so true
The world will judge largely of mother by you,
Be this then your task, if task it shall be
To force this proud world to do homage to me
Be sure it will say, when its verdict you won
She reaped as she sowed, Lo, this man is her son.

MRS. D. McCLENNON

Editor
"Star"
Dear Sir:

In the "White Gift" services of Grace United Church and Sunday School, held on December 21st, 1947, with the objective of providing funds for food parcels for British children, the total offerings were $116.15.

We wish to thank all who shared in this fine response. The parcels will go to the children of Dr. Barnardo's Homes in Steuney Causeway, East London, and children in the Salvation Army Home of Lower Chapton, East London.

Over two hundred pounds of food products can go forward. About one hundred and fifty people participated in this project, in gifts ranging from one cent to ten dollars.

The first indication of domestic happiness is the love of one's home.

—Montlosier.

SHEEPSKIN FLATS

We wish to congratulate Mr. Russell Swan on his marriage and hope he and his wife will enjoy a long and happy life.

December 23 was certainly Mr. Lester Babbs lucky day. In the afternoon he won the turkey raffle at our school and in the evening he won the doll at Flaxtonville school. How are the chances of buying a half interest in your Irish Sweepstake ticket, Lester.

Mr. Raymond Swan is home for the holidays.

On December 18 the Womens Welfare Club held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Teeter where a box of toys and games were packed for one of the childrens homes in Edmonton.

We are sorry to hear Mr. A. Dickout has been so sick and hope he will soon be his old self again.

Mr. Geo. Noakes was Santa to the children at the school party on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Teeter and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Templeton.

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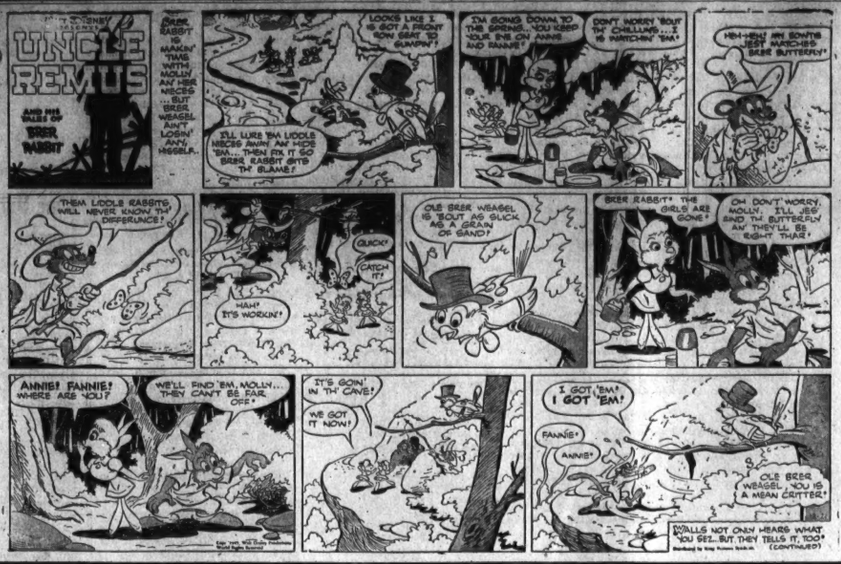

RETROSPECT 1947

Mr. and Mrs. J. MacGregor in town

Mrs. George Reid underwent an operation in the local hospital on Saturday and best wishes are extended to her for improved health.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pearson and family arrived home on Tuesday morning after an extended visit to Ed's old home in Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brunker are spending a holiday visiting with friends and relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. D. Rattray Jr., motored to Calgary last week where they attended the Credit Union Convention.

A pretty wedding was solemnized in the Wainwright United Church on Friday, April 11th, when Miss Lillian A. Roth of Fabyan was united in marriage with Jason Edward Smith of Wainwright. Rev. W. A. Whelan officiated at the ceremony.

The Wainwright United Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Stella Chorney of Vegreville and Mr. Wallace Murray of Wainwright on Wednesday, April 9th at 2:00 p.m. Rev. W. A. Whelan read the marriage rites.

Last Tuesday afternoon the Wainwright United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding when Mary Blanche, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickout of Gilt Edge, became the bride of Mr. Walter Thayer son of Mrs. Rogge of Lethbridge. Rev. W. A. Whelan officiating.

APRIL 23rd

The members and executive of the Wainwright Curling Club are progressing nicely with their work of erecting another sheet of ice to the present curling rink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson of Chauvin are moving shortly to the George Murray farm which they recently purchased and where they plan to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Krull and family are leaving this week to make their new home in Camrose where Dave has been transferred with the Calgary Power Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzgerald are visiting here from Entwistle with Mrs. Fitzgerald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Haywood.

After a holiday spent visiting with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Duke Ott and family at Barrhead, Mrs. L. Stuart returned home last week.

Mrs. Earl Lane and infant son Douglas are visiting Mrs. Lane's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gare at Rock Mountain House this week.

A number of friends called on Mrs. Primrose for a surprise party on the occasion of her birthday and presented her with a boquet of flowers and best wishes for "many happy returns of the day."

A farewell party was held last Friday evening in Trafalgar hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Murray who will shortly be moving to their new home in Edmonton.

APRIL 30th

Streets and avenues in Wainwright received the first going-over or maintaining last week with the new grader recently purchased by the town from the municipality.

Mrs. H. H. Herbert of Heath left on Friday morning's flyer for Seattle Wash., where she will visit with her sisters for a few weeks.

Over fifty ladies assembled in the Anglican rectory at Edgerton to welcome their new minister Rev. W. D. Ellway and his wife who have recently arrived in Edgerton from England

We understand Mr. Guy Tory has purchased the E. Thirsk farm and Mr. and Mrs. Thirsk are moving soon to Vancouver to make their home.

Dr. H. C. Wallace returned home from Edmonton last week and we are pleased to report he is out and around again looking much improved in health.

Mrs. Winnie Long is enjoying a visit this week from her son Morton who is here from Fort William, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Glaum left on Monday for Vancouver, B.C. Mr. Glaum has been relieving as manager of the Atlas Lumber Yard during the absence of Mr. C. Stafford.

MAY 7th

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Thursday, April 24th, in the IOOF Hall when the Royal Purple entertained the Elks and their friends at a party to celebrate their first birthday.

Miss Mona Ganderton was among those graduating at the graduation exercises held last week at the General Hospital in Edmonton.

We regret this week to chronicle the passing of Mrs. Helen Mary Gaudet on Monday, May 5th, in the local hospital after a lingering illness

Another business deal transpired on May 1st whereby Mr. Joe Toucentte became the new owner of the soft water business in town purchasing it from Mr. Ivan Mitchell who has been the owner for some five and a half years.

The members of the Wainwright IOOF Lodge No. 45 and Adeline Rebekah Lodge No. 54 observed the anniversary of the founding of their Order by attending St. Thomas' (Ang.) Church as a body on Sunday last.

A business deal was completed last week when Mr. W. Cowley sold his Bakery interests to Mr. A. H. Avery, formerly of Provost, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McLeod entertained recently in honor of Mrs. McLeods parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Withnell Sr. on the occasion of that couple's 48th wedding anniversary.

MAY 14th

Many old timers will regret to hear of the death of Mr. John Ganderton, an early resident of this district who passed away in Victoria on Monday, April 26th.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. D. Rattray Sr. is progressing nicely after her recent operation, although still confined to the hospital.

News of the sudden death of Mr. John Allen came as a shock to his friends in Wainwright on Monday, May 5th, when he was found dead in his home by Mr. W. Tanaley who had come from Edmonton to visit with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pon recently sold their business interests in Wainwright and have moved to Edmonton where they plan on opening a new Cafe and Wholesale Dept. as soon as the building is completed. Messrs. Harry and Herman Stromme are the new managers of the Wainwright Hotel Cafe.

Miss Martha Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnson, Fabyan, is home from Edmonton for an extended holiday. She also plans a visit for a month with relatives in Florida

The W.H.S. Glee Club under the direction of Miss L. Bloom and the Wainwright Dramatic Club under the direction of Mr. D. Smith presented musical numbers and a number of dramatic offerings which were enthusiastically received by a capacity crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Milner are in Edmonton this week to attend the graduating exercises at the University where their son Irvine will receive his degree in Political Economy.

We understand George MacDonald has been transferred from the Treasury Branch at Ryley to the Lacombe branch where he will take over duties of accountant.

MAY 21st

Mr. F. J. Lepper, C.N.R. Yard foreman at Wainwright, retired on May 15th with 42 years railroad service.

Mr. W. Lyle sold his blacksmith shop and equipment on May 15th to Messrs. Ronald and Wallace Murray who plan to operate at the same old stand which Mr. Lyle has occupied since coming here in 1931.

Miss Jean Rutherford left for Edmonton last week where she has accepted a position at St. Stephen's College.

Mrs. J. Mohr of Saskatoon is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alf Berg in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Marwayne have purchased the F. Aykroyd farm south of town and are planning to make their home there. Mrs. F. Aykroyd, Mrs. T. Rawn and Mr. Geo. Easter plan to leave on Wednesday for Ontario and the States.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson motored over to Hardisty on Sunday to look over the water and sewerage plans in that town.

MAY 28th

Fire broke out at the Melkiejohn Refinery early Monday evening, May 26th, completely destroying the boiler house and did considerable damage to other nearby equipment.

The Wainwright Golf Club's Tournament and Tea held on Friday, May 24th, was highly successful with a good attendance of players on hand.

Mrs. R. Leggett left last week for the west coast to visit with her mother who is ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snyder left last week on a motor trip. They plan to visit with their daughter and family in Calgary and then visit in Vancouver and the States.

Mrs. Theodore Smith last week received the posthumously awarded operational wing for her son who was killed on active service overseas.

Mrs. Edwin Nordstrom and baby left last week for a vacation with her parents in Newfoundland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glasgow have moved to Irma to take up residence Mrs. Glasgow having resigned her position as Public Health Nurse in the Wainwright School Division.

The Wainwright Public School soft ball teams made a nice showing at Vermilion on May 24th. The boys winning with a score of 14-13 and the girl's team tied for first.

JUNE 4th

Work commenced last week on the new sidewalk to the hospital and it is hoped we will be able to walk to the hospital in comfort before too long.

Mrs. M. B. Lally resigned from her duties as Postmistress on June 1st and Mr. Harold Karr a veteran of the late war is now in charge at the local Post Office.

The Edmonton School Boys Band visited Wainwright on Sunday, June 1st, and delighted hundreds of people who came to hear this famous band under the direction of Mr. T. V. Newlove and Mr. O. W. Murray.

A fire completely destroyed a chicken house and its contents including 75 3-day old chicks and an oil brooder, at the farm of Mr. John Wakefield, one mile north of Wainwright on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ward Sr. left at the week-end to spend the summer months at Lochdale, B.C. Mrs. Henry Ward accompanied them out and returned shortly.

Dr. and Mrs. B. Wheeler and family of Edmonton spent the week-end with Mrs. Wheeler's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Pawsey.

Miss Doris Wilson has resigned from her position at the Treasury Branch and returned home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilson who motored up from Coronation at the week-end.

Miss Elsie Horn attended the convention in Edmonton last week as the local AYPA delegate.

JUNE 11th

The mother's of Miss Gladys Zajics school pupils held a tea in her honor on Friday afternoon and presented her with a beautiful wedding gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Robbie had their baby son Robert Stuart christened in a quiet home ceremony on Sunday last when Rev. W. A. Whelan performed the ceremony in the presence of a few friends.

Death suddenly claimed one of Irma's best known and respected citizens in the person of Robert Dunbar Smallwood who was taken ill on Sunday, May 25th, and passed away in the University Hospital the following morning, May 26th.

The Wainwright Calf Club held its first annual tour last Saturday when the members together with Mr. S. Robbie made a tour of the club members homes and inspected their calves.

A miscellaneous bridal shower was held at the home of Mrs. Stan Ryan recently in honor of Miss Doris Wilson a bride elect of this month.

This week sees Mr. S. C. Tory and H. E. MacDonald away to Calgary attending the annual convention of the Elks Lodge for the Province.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cork left on Monday night of this week for an extended holiday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Mack at Gander, Newfoundland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Church are visiting friends and relatives in Wainwright and district having motored here from California.

JUNE 18th

Roy Reynolds graduated last week from Yale University in New Haven, Conn., and has been awarded a $1500 scholarship to further his education at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Marriage of Beatrice Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Harley of Wainwright, to Mr. Percy Arthur Hare of Edmonton took place in an evening ceremony on Saturday June 14th in Norwood United Church, Edmonton. Rev. W. T. Young officiated.

Mr. F. Ganderton returned last week after spending the winter months at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alderman are enjoying their annual vacation at Victoria, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wyllie of Coal Valley, Alta., renewed acquaintances this week with friends in town.

Dr. O. S. Hauck is in Banff this week where he is attending the Dental Conference being held there; his assistant Miss M. Hauck is also enjoying her annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson left last week for Davidson, Sask., where they will spend their annual vacation with Mrs. Donaldson's sister, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Watts have as their guest this week, Fred's sister who is visiting from Montreal.

JUNE 25th

The wedding took place at the United Church, Wainwright on Wednesday, June 18th, of Miss Doris Mae Wilson of Coronation and Mr. Marvin Clarence Jackson of Greenshields, before an altar decorated with pink and white geraniums. Rev. W. A. Whelan performed the ceremony.

One who could truly be called a pioneer passed away in Edmonton in the person of Calvin F. Taylor lately of Winfield, Alberta, but for many years of the Doicy-Browning district He had reached the age of 91 years and 10 months.

Miss Anne Callas left on Monday night's flyer for Toronto where she will visit with her sister Mrs. A. E. Trickey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lyle accompanied by Mrs. M. Chynoweth left on Wednesday night's train for an extended visit with relatives in the East at Toronto, Niagara Falls and other points.

Mrs. W. D. Walker of Jasper is spending a few days in town visiting with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Iverson of Wainwright have received word that their son Kenneth Iverson has been awarded scholaraihps totalling $210. at Queen's University in Kingston, Ont.

Miss Flora McLeod arrived in town last week after a very enjoyable trip on an L.E.P. airliner from Prestwick, Scotland to Montreal then via CNR to Wainwright to visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLeod.

JULY 2nd

On the occasion of their 40th Wedding Anniversary on Thursday, June 26th, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lane were "At Home" to their friends when over 100 guests called during the afternoon and evening to extend congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple.

In a late afternoon ceremony in the chapel of Metropolitan United Church, Edmonton, Tuesday Miss Gladys Florence Zajic of Wainwright daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zajic of Edgerton became the bride of Mr. Walter Ellwood Fletcher of Montreal, Que. Rev. R. McElroy Thompson performed the ceremony in a setting of vari-colored summer blossoms.

A special meeting of the Anglican Y.P.A. was held on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Elsie Horn who was presented with a gift and best wishes for the future and her forthcoming marriage.

The UFWA of the Battle River constituency met at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Spencer, south of Edgerton on June 17 under the chairmanship of the new director Mrs. E. S. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gano who are visiting here from Marmora, Ont., spent a few days in Edmonton last week accompanied by Mrs. J. Robinson.

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RETROSPECT 1947

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fawling and family arrived last week from Winnipeg to visit with Mrs. J. Fawling in town.

After a residence of over 30 years on their farm in the Greenshields district, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vallean recently sold out to Mr. Donald Heinz of Marwayne, Alberta, and left on Saturday night's train for an extended holiday with relatives and friends in the East.

Word has been received that Mr. Lionel McLeod has been admitted to first year medicine at the University of Alberta.

JULY 9th

A lawn social was held on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. F. E. Dixon when about 30 guests gathered in honor of Miss Ruth Rusts bride-elect of this month.

One of the very early settlers of the Hope Valley district passed away in the Wainwright hospital on Saturday, June 28th, in the person of Mr. Andrew Korchik.

Mrs. Agnes Olson of Old Edge left on Wednesday for Edmonton where she will take a T.C.A. plane for New York and then travel by boat to her native home in Norway for an extended visit.

Congratulations are due two local boys, Gerald Nicholson and Allen Dixon who have successfully completed their third year Medicine at the University of Alberta. Miss Pearl Nicholson graduated from the University hospital as a registered nurse

Little Miss Pat Davison returned home on Sunday from the local hospital feeling much better.

Mrs. G. Alexander left last week for Vancouver on receipt of the news of the accidental death of her brother-in-law there.

Mr. W. Bloom returned last week from a vacation spent visiting his mother and brother at Sylvan Lake.

Mrs. W. Washburn is renewing acquaintances with friends in town on a visit from the West Coast.

JULY 16th

All Saint's Cathedral, Edmonton was the scene of a late afternoon ceremony Saturday when Elsie Mae Horn of Wainwright became the bride of Mr. Richard A. McRoberts of Irma. Rev. A. M. Trendell, Dean of Edmonton performed the ceremony.

The west side of Clear Lake looked more like Coney Island on Sunday when crowds thronged to the lake to attend the Elite Theatre Barbecue, which was sponsored by Mr. Phil May, proprietor of the theatre.

St. Thomas (Ang.) Church was the scene on Tuesday last week of the wedding of Miss Joyce Renville of Wainwright to Mr. James George Knudson, B.A., M.A. of Youngstown Alta. Rev. F. E. Smith officiated.

Deepest sympathy of the Gilt Edge district is extended to Mrs. F. Anderson and children in their bereavement at the loss of a loving husband and father Mr. Anderson who passed away suddenly Monday afternoon following a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barritt are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Barritt's sister Miss Eunice Turner who is visiting with them from New Westminster, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nugent left on Saturday to motor to the coast where Terry has accepted a position with the Comox-Argus at Courtenay, B.C.

Mr. Roy Reynolds arrived home from New Haven, Conn., on Thursday last to spend the summer with his parents in town.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sewell of Mascot district of the death by drowning of their daughter-in-law Venette wife of Mr. Ben Sewell while on vacation with her parents in National City, California.

JULY 23rd

After an enjoyable vacation at Sylvan Lake visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dick and family, Miss Frances Carroll returned home at the week-end.

There passed away at the local hospital on Thursday, July 17th, Mr. Bryce M. Abernethy at the age of 85 years. The deceased had been with his brother Mr. Cy Abernethy for the past nine years.

A pretty summer wedding took place on Monday, July 21st in the Wainwright United Church when Miss June Margaret White of Greenshields became the bride of Mr. William David Hughes of Wetaskiwin. Rev. W. T. Elkin performed the ceremony.

Another improvement was added to the Wainwright School Division last week when they moved a building onto their lots to be utilized as a new Library and office for the Public Health Nurse.

After a vacation spent in Victoria and Vancouver Mr. Addie Coleman has now returned home.

Mrs. F. Lepper returned home last week after an annual vacation spent visiting friends in Victoria and Vancouver.

Mrs. K. Hornberger with her daughters Marlene and Janet of Calgary is visiting in town with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

Mrs. L. E. Minter of Victoria, B.C. arrived last week to attend the funeral for her niece's husband, Mr. F. Anderson, and is also renewing acquaintances with friends in the district.

Mr. Frank Ashe arrived from Killam last week to take over the duties of shop foreman at the Star Office.

JULY 31st

One of the very early settlers of Wainwright passed away in hospital on Wednesday, July 23rd, in the person of Mrs. Ida Bowerman.

Snapdragons and mixed summer flowers made a pretty setting in St. Thomas (Ang.) Church on Wednesday, July 23rd, for the marriage of Miss Jenny Hissett of Wainwright to Mr. Frederick Reginald Fidler of Prince Albert, Sask. Rev. F. E. Smith officiated at the marriage ceremony.

A few friends called on Mr F. Hart on Friday evening, July 25th, to wish him "many happy returns of the day" on the occasion of his 92nd birthday. Mr. Hart is still quite active working in his garden every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fish and daughter Dana of Edmonton are visiting with Mrs. Fish's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lissimore.

Mrs. V. L. Hussey returned home last week after an extended visit with relatives and friends in Montreal. She is staying at present with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pilgrim.

A pretty wedding took place in St. Andrews (Presb.) Church on Tuesday, July 8th, when Miss Elizabeth Vegso of Wainwright became the bride of Mr. James Paxton of Irma. Rev. M. Dobson performed the marriage ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Kowalchuk are visiting with relatives and friends in Toronto on their annual vacation.

Miss Lorna Reid is enjoying a visit with relatives and friends in Vancouver on her annual vacation from Patterson's store, she was accompanied by Miss Kay Riddle who is on holidays from the telephone exchange

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Andrews (Presb.) church on Thursday, July 24th, when Miss Ruth Rusts of Wainwright and Rev. H. Leonard Wilson of Weyburn, Sask., were united in marriage before an altar banked with ferns. Rev. R. F. Watts of Weyburn, Sask., performed the marriage rites.

AUGUST 6th

Two modern buildings now have their foundations laid as a result of workmen starting on the new Buffalo Service Garage and the Tory and Peacock Garage.

The rededication of the clock tower and the unveiling of the memorial plaque held last Wednesday, July 30th in Wainwright proved a very impressive event.

On Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. C. Tory the ladies of the United Church met to honor Mrs. Arnold Harden who is leaving in the near future to make her home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wiley are spending their annual vacation at Hornbrook, California visiting with Mrs. Wiley's sister there.

Mrs. Dorothy Bond is spending her annual holiday visiting with her mother in Edmonton and with friends in the Southern part of the Province.

Mrs. S. Bahl left last week for Vancouver where she will meet her son who has recently returned from England.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Fenby and son Barry are away this week spending their annual holiday visiting at Faust, Alberta.

AUGUST 13th

As a result of an accident one person was killed and one person seriously injured on Saturday morning early, when a truck driven by Mr. Jack Ford of Heath, failed to make the turn in the road at the east side of Wainwright, approaching the Fair Ground's gate. The person killed as a result of the accident was Mr. R. Joshua Mills, 35, of Wainwright, and the injured was Mrs. Gilman, now hospitalized. Other passengers of the truck, which was a 1942 Ford 2-ton besides the above mentioned were Miss Rose Briault and Mr. George Forrest.

A pretty mid-summer wedding was held in St. Thomas' (Ang.) Church on Tuesday, August 5th, at 3:00 p.m. when Miss Alice Tindall, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Geo. Tindall of Fabyan exchanged marriage vows with Thomas William Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daniels of Greenshields. Rev. F. E. Smith performed the marriage rites.

The second annual picnic held Sunday last and sponsored by the Wainwright Branch of the Canadian Legion was well attended, and from all reports was a huge success.

Members of the Wainwright Branch L.O.B.A. Lodge enjoyed the official visit from their Prov. Grand Mistress of Alberta, Mrs. L. G. Fisher, on Wednesday, August 6th. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. W. Carter, Deputy G.M. Members of Edgerton Lodge L.O.B.A. were in attendance and two new members were invited to the order.

A very pleasant surprise was afforded Mr. and Mrs. N. W. McTurk on Sunday evening when some sixty neighbors gathered at their home to celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. The honored couple having lived nineteen years in the community coming from Ireland.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Bradley are enjoying their annual vacation motoring to Calgary, Banff and other points.

AUGUST 20th

Death called Mr. John Gano at the age of 76, a former Wainwright resident, on Thursday, August 14th at Red Deer, Alberta.

The tragic death of Mr. Robert Joshua Mills occurred on Saturday a.m. August 9th, when the truck in which he was riding failed to make the turn in the road at the east side of Wainwright approaching the Fair Grounds gate.

Miss Margaret Tondu entertained a few of her friends on Tuesday afternoon on the occasion of her tenth birthday. Among the guests were Sharon and Larry Myer, Clayton and Paulette Tondu, Alexis Dezwick, Eunice Tondu and Ellis and Eileen Trefrey.

After a three month vacation with

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EDGERTON

Free picture show tickets donated by McKay's Lumber were won by L. Krtenbil, Ken Cornfield, Charles Walters and Mrs. J. G. McKay. These winners may call at McKay's Lumber for their tickets. The ballot box is in the Co-op Store this week.

The saying, "Man's best friend, a dog," may not mean a great deal to some people, but it did to Dennis Wilson, who recently lost his pet dog by poisoning. Everyone is sorry, Dennis, except no doubt, the poisoner, who, we hope will read the appended verse with interest:

AN OUTCAST IN HELL

During a lull in the Stygian flames
A group of shades were exchanging names
And telling of places that they had been
With bits of gossip and tales of sin,
A lonely shade who was standing by
Approached to speak; but without reply
Each wrapped himself in his ghostly shawl—
Murderers, robbers and blackguards all—
With a whispered word and averted stare
Vanished and left his standing there.
"Who was he?" I asked as they turned and fled.
"He poisoned his neighbor's dog," they said.

(D. W. Dec. '47)

The Annual Meeting of St. Mary's Anglican Church will be held on Sunday, January 10th, after the evening service.

Clarence Welsh went to the city last week to attend a meeting of the Alberta Teachers Association.

Curling is in full swing again after a lull during the holidays.

The Edgerton Ladies Curling Club held a meeting at the Curling Rink on Saturday evening. Jessie Calvert was elected President and Marge Steele the Secretary Treasurer. Eight rinks were drawn up with a possibility of having nine. Evelyn Hallett and Marge Steele are on the draw committee. Draws will be played on Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

The picture committee of the Memorial Hall have decided to put on a Matinee on Saturday afternoons (2:30 p.m.) for the next few weeks. They realize that it is very difficult for the farm people to come to town during the winter evenings. If these afternoon shows have a good attendance they will be continued indefinately. This weeks show is one you will all want to see. Betty Smith's "A Tree Grows In Brooklyn" from the well known book of the same title. Showing at 8 p.m. Friday and 2:30 and 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 9th and 10th.

Phyllis McCormick left for Edmonton on Friday to seek medical attention. The best of luck, Phyllis.

Members of the Edgerton and District Board of Trade are reminded of the next meeting which will be held on Tuesday, 13th January, in Darby's Drug. Anyone not yet a member is invited to attend.

Bill Wilson has the skating rink in very good condition and it would be nice to see more pleasure skating by the grown-ups. A new lighting system has been installed and music is playing in the evenings. We hope to see some good hockey in the future. Fred Forrester is coaching the Pee Wees and they are receiving some very valuable training. The seniors were out for their first practice on Sunday. Lets see these teams in action soon.

Norman Miles and his wife had a very close call when their car overturned on the highway near Irma. Luckily they got out with a severe shaking up however Elva had to be taken to the Wainwright hospital for treatment to several scratches. The steel body of the car apparently took the worst of it and has been sent to Edmonton for repairs.

FABYAN

Mrs. Jason Smith who with her husband is visiting at the coast underwent an emergency operation on New Year's Day. We extend best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith have gone to Edmonton to spend the winter in their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pelleron had as their guests over the holiday, Mr. and Mrs. P. Misty of Edmonton.

We learn that Mrs. Mike Pytel of Edmonton, who has been visiting with her daughter Mrs. Bill Crabb in the district, had to be removed from the train on arrival home to Edmonton and rushed to hospital for an emergency operation.

Mr. Bob Tweedy of Philips was a week-end visitor in Fabyan.

Mr. Jimmy Tindall returned the first of the week to the lumber camp north of Edmonton after spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Christina Wood of Holden spent the holidays with her parents at Fabyan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Finlay spent New Years at Riley visiting with Roy's parents.

Tommy Holt was home from Edmonton to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt.

Mrs. William Milton spent the festive season in Edmonton with relatives.

Mrs. Steve Fuscko of Irma is a patient in the Wainwright hospital and we extend best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bodnar were in Camrose for Christmas with their daughter there.

Our teacher Miss Keufler spent Christmas and New Years visiting in the Heath district.

Mr. J. Wakefield and nephew J. W. Wakefield motored to Youngstown for a truckload of telephone supplies.

Mr. Tom Gotobed of Viking was a visitor in the district recently.

Miss Martha Johnson of Edmonton spent Christmas with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson. Miss Doris Johnson also of Edmonton was here for New Years.

Master Freddy Fisher is confined to his home these days with the measles.

Your correspondent received a Christmas card from Mr. and Mrs. W Johnson at Williamsburg, Kentucky. They report a lovely winter there and say they are enjoying their vacation very much.

Time Out For Laughs

"Your Honor," said the lawyer, "I submit that my client did not break into the house at all. He found the parlor window open, inserted his right arm, and removed a few trifling articles. Now, my client's arm is not himself and I fail to see how you can punish him for an offense committed by only one of his limbs."

"Your argument," answered the judge, "is very well put. Following it logically, I sentence the prisoner's arm to one year's imprisonment. He can accompany it or not, just as he chooses."

Whereupon the defendant calmly removed his cork arm and walked out.

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Notice is hereby given that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of The Assessment Act, and that the assessment roll of the said municipality has been duly prepared, and that if any person thinks that any property has been wrongfully assessed, or assessed too high, or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered upon or omitted from the roll he may at any time prior to the 21st day of Jan 1948, notify the secretary-treasurer in writing of the particulars and grounds of his complaint.

Dated at Wainwright, this 2nd day of January, 1948.

CHARLES WILBRAHAM,
Secretary Treasurer
(7-1)

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WEDDING BELLS

EDGERTON

St. Mary's Anglican Church, Edgerton, was the scene of a wedding on Wednesday morning, December 31st, when Miss Lorna Marie Alwood daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Alwood of Browning District, became the bride of Palmer George Taylor, son of Mr. James Taylor of Rosemoyne district. Rev. Ellway performed the ceremony.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a suit of soft blue wool and carried a bouquet of yellow roses and white baby mums. The bridesmaid Miss Phyllis Deyell wore a suit of navy blue and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Mr. Morris Kimball was the best man.

The bride's mother wore a dress of forest green crepe and her corsage was pink carnations.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where about forty guests were entertained.

Later the couple left for a short honeymoon and on return will take up residence in the Rosemoyne district.

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Canadian Legion B. E. S. L.
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NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. K. Brogden of Chauvin at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 30th, a boy.

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BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. F. Whitcomb of Wainwright at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 31st, a girl.

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BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Scherger of Wainwright at the Wainwright municipal hospital on January 2nd, a boy.

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CURLING CLUB RAFFLE ROCKS

Mr. Herb Wilson is now the proud owner of a set of curling rocks raffled off Monday night at the curling rink. Mr. Wilson's ticket was number 64 and was drawn by Mrs. I. Dundas.

The curling club has been selling tickets on these rocks for sometime, with Mr. D. Rattray Sr. in charge of the ticket selling. Over 100 tickets were disposed of. Mr. Wilson did not previously own rocks so his good fortune will be appreciated.

Mrs. M. Lally returned home the first of the week after a visit with her sister in Melville, Sask.

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Miss Ione Dundas spent a few days with her parents last week prior to leaving for Medicine Hat where she has been transferred from the Edmonton Branch of the Bank of Montreal to the branch there.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Lilly and Mrs. Bengston, over the holidays included Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lilly of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lilly of Regina, Sask.

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Mrs. M. Telford was in Edmonton for the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. A. Adams and family.

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The annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's (Pres.) Church will be held on Monday evening January 10th at 8:00 o'clock. A full attendance is hoped for.

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Mrs. L. Stott and Roger spent the holiday season in Edmonton visiting with Mrs. Stott's brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trewartha.

GERALD

The Christmas concert held in Gerald school was well attended and all present enjoyed the varied program provided by the pupils and Miss E. MacDonald. Plays, skits, choruses and dancing were all enjoyed. Lunch was served and a short dance ended the program.

Miss E. MacDonald spent the Christmas holidays at her home at Alcomdale.

Miss Della Christopherson and Mr. Keith Christopherson spent the Christmas holidays with their grandparents in South Edmonton.

Mr. E. Campbell and Mr. C. Deyell who have been working at Penhold arrived on Christmas Eve to spend the holidays at home, returning to Penhold on Sunday.

Mr. C. Gullekson returned on Sunday to Edmonton where he will continue his university studies, after spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. MacDonald of Edmonton were Christmas visitors at the home of Mrs. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gullekson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Myggland and son, Mr. and Mrs. F. McClennon and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fletcher and son, were all visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Myggland for New Years.

Mr. W. Pearsay was a visitor to Edmonton last week.

Mrs. D. Rattray Sr. is spending a couple of weeks in Edmonton, having gone there before the New Year.

The last meeting of the Farm Forum for 1947 was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Deyell with 16 members present. The subject discussed was "Organizing for Community Action." The radio broadcast on this subject was particularly interesting. Besides the question of improving seed and getting rid of weeds, it was decided to try to have National Film Board pictures shown at Gerald. This, however will not be possible this season. After a social time lunch was served by Mrs. Deyell

McCafferty & Browning

Christmas has come and gone with much travelling under pleasant conditions.

Two marriages took place the last day of the old year. Lorna Alwood of Browning to Palmer Taylor of Rosemoyne, were married at Edgerton, the reception taking place at the home of the bride. Morris Kimball was best man and Phillis Deyell acted as bridesmaid. The other marriage was that of Fay Jackson of Rosemoyne to Clare Scott of Dolcy. Gordon Jackson was best man and Peggy Scott was bridesmaid. The reception was held at the home of Mrs. F. Kimball at Edgerton.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Pat Mahoney has been sick and has been taken to the Wainwright hospital.

Mr. M. Allott left on Sunday morning's flyer to take up his duties at Red Pass, B.C. after spending two weeks holiday with his wife and family here in town.

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Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson of Weyburn, Sask. visited Mrs. Wilson's father Mr. J. Buste over the Christmas holiday.

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Little Miss Diane Foster and Master Jimmy Fotheringham who visited with their aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. F. Roberts over the holiday season left for their homes in Edmonton on Sunday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Boos spent the past week in the city on a business trip.

Henry Spencer returned from Saskatoon on Tuesday and left for Edmonton on Friday. He is to attend the A.T.A. Convention to be held in the Masonic Temple on January 3rd as a fraternal delegate from the A.S.T.A.

Walter Rae and his wife were visitors at the Connolly's for Christmas.

Rosewillow W.I.

The annual meeting of the Rosewillow W.I. met at the home of Mrs. N. McTurk with ten members present. Roll Call was answered by the exchange of Christmas gifts. Mrs. Black gave the financial statement and auditor's report.

Next came the election of new officers, the positions being filled as follows:

President—Mrs. J. Black
Vice President—Mrs. J. Sewell
Secretary—Mrs. H. Olson
Social Welfare Convenor—Mrs. McNern
Citizenship Convenor—Mrs. V. Avison
Handicraft Convenor—Mrs. J. Sewell
Agriculture Convenor—Mrs. B. Cary
Sick Committee—Mrs. Cary and Mrs. Chynoweth
Charge of Work Box—Mrs. J. Sewell
Charge of Raffle—Mrs. N. McTurk

Donations were made to the T.B. Fund and the Protestant Home for Children.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. McNern on the 2nd Thursday in January.

The meeting was then adjourned.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Wainwright Womens Institute for their kind gifts of fruit and cake.

ETTA M. PITTERSON

The loudest voices do not always represent the largest number.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Stonhouse arrived in town last week. Mr. Stonhouse is commencing the new assignment for the town which he expects will take about a month.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie and family motored to Chauvin to attend the 45th wedding anniversary of Mrs. MacKenzie's parents Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Folkins.

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Mrs. C. Borch is visiting friends and relatives at Regina on an extended holiday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith enjoyed a family reunion on Boxing Day when their entire family gathered; Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Miss Audrey Smith and Messrs Fred and Bob Smith all of Edmonton spent the holiday season with their parents in town.

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After a residence of over fifteen years in Wainwright Mrs. C. McKenzie and daughters Shirley and Wendy have moved to make their home in Edmonton.

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Lyman Alexander Jr., and his aunt Miss L. Mabey, visited Mr. Miles Mabey at Leduc over the holiday. Lyman is on crutches due to a foot injury he received at a recent hockey game.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dundas for the Christmas season were Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Quinn of Metcalfe, Ont., who were accompanied by Doreen and David Howes. Mr. and Mrs. J. Howes were also over from Lloydminster to enjoy the holiday with his children who have been living in the East with their aunt and uncle.

Miss Mildred Alexander Wed at Home Ceremony

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Monday, December 29th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lymen Alexander when their only daughter Mildred Agnes exchanged marriage vows with Ray Ronald Munro of Rosedale, B.C., son of Mrs. Helen Munro and the late Mr. Colon Munro, Rev. M. Dobson officiated at the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in aqua blue street length wool frock with a deep pink carnation corsage. She carried a hand made handkerchief of her maternal grandmother's which had also been carried by her mother on her wedding day.

Music for the ceremony was supplied by Miss Pauline Dixon, a cousin of the brides.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Alexander chose a figured grey crepe dress with matching accessories.

A reception was held at the bride's home to close friends and relatives following the ceremony. The rooms were beautifully decorated for holiday season with soft Christmas tree and candlelighting effect.

The bride's table laid with white linen was centred by the tiered wedding cake which was decorated with one red rose. This was later cut by the bride and groom using maternal grandfather's knife. Tall white tapers and yellow baby mums completed the decorative scheme.

Assisting at the reception were Miss Lola Mabey, aunt of the bride, and Mesdames H. Brower and C. Harris.

After a honeymoon spent at Edmonton and Jasper, the happy couple will reside at Rosedale, B.C.

GILT EDGE

Mr. Bert Kitchen enjoyed a visit last week from his brother Sam at Jasper.

Many old familiar faces were seen in the district over the holiday season and a number of family gatherings were held to usher in the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Plaxton entertained twenty-five relatives at a family reunion and dinner on New Year's Day.

Messrs. Jack and Charlie McClennon visited Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fletcher.

A family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClennon on Christmas Day when over twenty relatives and friends gathered for the day.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. McClennon on Friday afternoon included Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. F. McClennon and baby Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peacock moved their household effects last week to their new home in Wainwright.

Mrs. Treffry Sr. is spending the holiday visiting with her son Verne and family.

Mrs. W. Rathwell returned home last week after spending Christmas with her parents at Leo, Sask.

Mr. Oral Macklin was a visitor last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. McClennon.

A number of the Girl Rose congregation attended the evening service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Helen spent the New Year's holiday with the Wood's family at Fabyan.

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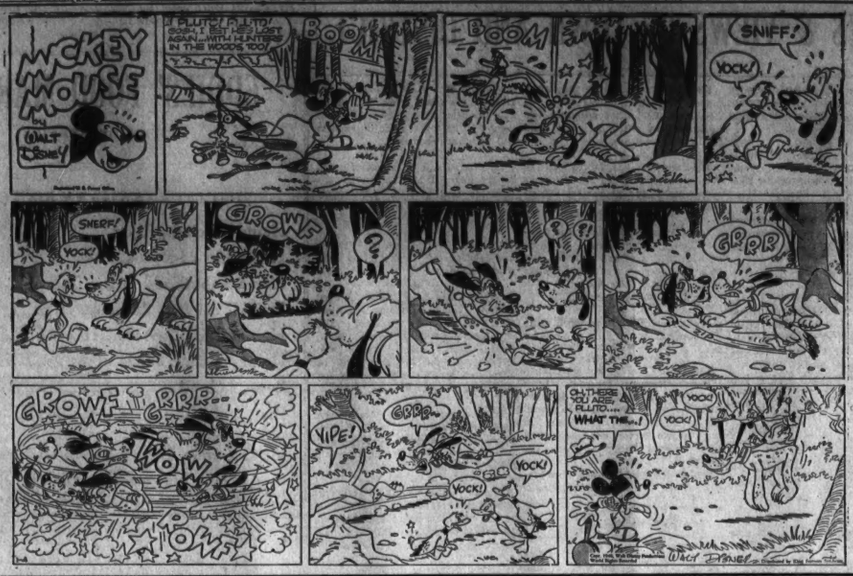

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson and other friends and relatives in Wainwright and Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gano left on Monday for their home in Marmora, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McWilliams arrived on Monday of last week, to visit with Mrs. McWilliams parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McNern, leaving on Friday to motor to Banff and Lake Louise before returning to their home in Winnipeg via the States route.

United Church, Portage la Prairie was the scene of a pretty candlelight wedding Saturday afternoon, August 9th, at 3 p.m. when Mndalen, elder daughter of Judge and Mrs. Stanley H. Fahrni was united in marriage to H. Gordon Smith, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Smith of Wainwright, Alberta. Rev. J. . Pottruff, of Winnipeg performed the ceremony.

The new building which will in future house the offices and doctors of the Wainwright Clinic opened last week. The building is approximately 80 feet long and 35 feet wide and gives spacious quarters to the three doctors in charge, Dr. H. C. Wallace, Dr. J. Bradley and Dr. J. D. Wallace. It is finished in white fire proof shingle siding with a red roof.

Mr. George Tait formerly of Calgary is the new man behind the watch repair counter at Walkers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith accompanied by their daughter Audrey and sons Fred and Bob returned last week from Portage la Prairie where they attended the wedding of their son Gordon.

Miss Ruth Schowalter and Miss Kay Jones left on their annual vacation on Thursday of last week. They plan to spend two weeks at Buckhorn Dude Ranch south of Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Challenger and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Meade returned home last week after a very enjoyable motor trip to Vancouver and Seattle via the States route. Mr. and Mrs. Meade expect to leave for their home at Edson Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. George Reid left on Sunday night for Toronto where she will visit with relatives and friends.

AUGUST 27th

Another link with the early pioneer days of Wainwright and district was severed by the passing of Mr. Harry E. Mabey on Thursday, August 14th, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. Wells at Ta Ta Creek, B.C.

An enjoyable party was held last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Swanson when a number of her little friends gathered to honor Marlene on the occasion of her tenth birthday.

Mr. F. E. McLeod of Wainwright was last week elected to the position of President of the Alberta Funeral Directors Association at their recent convention held in Calgary. This actually carries on his position of the former year when the president died while in office and he was then vice-president.

Pastel bouquets of summer flowers banked the altar and lined the aisle of the Ukranian Greek Orthodox Church at Vegreville on Wednesday, August 20th at 3:00 p.m. for one of the season's prettiest weddings when Miss Nadine Muzyka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Muzyka of Vegreville, and Herbert Morse Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snyder of Wainwright, were united in marriage at a double ring ceremony.

It is the Star's sad duty to report the death this week of Mrs. Martha Herbert, beloved wife of Mr. H. H. Herbert of the Heath district. Mrs. Herbert had been in failing health for some time and had been a patient of the local hospital for the past two months, where she died on the afternoon of August 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Jackson left on Wednesday for Toronto where Ivan has a position with the Maple Leaf Milling Co. They plan to reside in Toronto.

George Killy and Henry Ruste paid a flying visit to Prince George, B.C., last week taking the plane from Edmonton to Prince George and back.

Mrs. Robert Mulvey and children returned home at the week-end after an enjoyable holiday spent with Mrs. Mulvey's parents and other relatives and friends in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bibby and family were in town last week from Calgary visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Bibby Sr., and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wheaton and daughters were here from Ocean Falls for a few days the first of the week visiting with Wallace's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McDougal drove from Calgary this week for a visit with the Morrison family and Mrs. McDougal's father Mr. A. M. Postan's and brothers Richard and Stanley of Heath.

SEPTEMBER 3rd

Mrs. Martha Herbert, wife of Tom Herbert passed away at the Wainwright municipal hospital on Monday August 25, after suffering from poor health for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kristensen left on the midnight train on Sunday, August 31st for an extended visit to their former home in Denmark.

Mrs. J. Hamilton is in the Wainwright hospital suffering from severe shock, head and facial injuries received Wednesday night when the car she was riding in with her son Harvey, collided with a car driven by Mr. David A. Jones at the corner of Fifth Avenue East.

Signal honors have come this week to Elmer Melvin Tory, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tory, who has been awarded one of the six Coronation Bursaries valued at $450. each, granted by the I.O.D.E. annually in Alberta.

Mr. Cliff Reynolds left on Saturday for Windsor, Ont., to visit the Dodge factory then back to White Shell, Man., where Mrs. Reynolds and baby son, who have been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Still will join him and motor home.

Mrs. A. W. MacBeth left last week for her home in Edmonton after a visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wallace in town.

Dr. J. D. Wallace is at present a patient in the Col. Newburn wing of the University Hospital with pneumonia. The Star joins his many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

SEPTEMBER 10th

One of Wainwright's pioneer settlers, Mr. William Pilkington, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs J. P. Carroll, on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, at the age of eighty-eight years.

Mr. Lorne McLeod had the misfortune to become involved and injured in an auto accident Sunday afternoon as he was travelling along the highway east of Wainwright.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary was held in the hospital Thursday afternoon Sept. 4th with the President, Mrs. Bradley presiding. Election of officers followed with Mrs. Symes being elected as President and Mrs. Albert Rattray as Secretary Treasurer.

We regret to report that Mrs. H. Woodruff passed away at her home in Vancouver Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff were amongst the earliest settlers in the Pelican District. Mrs. N. Pickard her daughter left for Vancouver Monday to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Jos. McClennon received a pleasant surprise on Sunday of last week when her brother, Mr. Geo. Banting of Ivy, Ont. arrived unexpectedly for a visit.

Mr. Yeager who has been visiting with his daughter Mrs. M Telford during the summer months is returning home on Thursday of this week to Hamilton, Ont. Prior to leaving Wainwright in 1931 he was a locomotive fireman here for 22 years and has met many of his old friends during his visit here this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Worton of Tofield spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mrs. W. J. Huntingford. Mr. Worton is the editor of The Tofield Mercury.

Mrs. G. Mickel who has been visiting for the past few months with her sister Miss M. Strachan and brother Mr. Norman Strachan left on Saturday to return to her home in Glasgow, Scotland. Mr. Geo. Reynolds drove the family to Edmonton where she boarded a T.C.A. plane to commence her journey home via airline.

Mrs. W. Long is enjoying a visit from her son Waiwyn who stopped off for a few days en route from Vancouver to Toronto where he plans to continue his studies at University.

Mr. E. L. Cork has announced that after Saturday, Sept. 13th, he will be closing his optical parlor as he is planning to leave shortly to make his home at the coast.

Congratulations are extended to the winners of the two Pressure Cookers given away at the opening of Ryan & Mitchell's Hardware on Friday and Saturday, Mrs. B. Kett won the draw on Friday and Mrs. G. McCluskey on Saturday.

SEPTEMBER 17th

Thursday, September 11th, was the day the proprietory electors of Wainwright were given the opportunity to vote on a by-law authorizing the Council of the Town of Wainwright to expend the sum of $10,000.00 of the town funds for the purpose of erecting a skating rink, including the acquisition of a site, for the use of the citizens. Although the number of ballots cast was relatively small there was a definite majority in favor of the By-Law.

Pink and white gladioli, with sweet peas and baby breath marking the guest pews was the floral setting in the First United Church of Vermilion, Wednesday afternoon, September third, for the wedding of Miss Jean Margaret Caron, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Caron of Vermilion, to Mr. Stanley Hugo Nelner youngest son of Mr and Mrs. Theodor Nelner, of Craigmyle, Alberta.

Miss Winnifred Howey, R.N., was guest of honor at a gathering of the staff of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital held in the Nurse's Residence on Monday evening, September 8th. Miss Howey has been on the staff for the past year and is leaving shortly to be married at the coast.

Mrs. W. Carswell left on Tuesday for Davidson, Sask., to visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brassard and son are renewing acquaintances and visiting at the Rajotte home while on a motor trip from their home in Quebec to Vancouver.

Mrs. Kenn Tory and children are on a holiday with her mother, Dr. L. A. Bagnall in Calgary. Dr. Bagnall has been visiting in Maine for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Sewell are spending a week visiting at the home of Jim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sewell, before continuing their trip to England where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Challenger returned home at the week-end after a vacation spent visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Reid and family of Winnipeg Man.

Miss Bunny Bond returned home last week from an extended holiday at Lloydminster and a motor trip through southern Saskatchewan, the States and out to Victoria, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lane left the first of the week on their annual vacation to be spent in Edmonton and at the coast with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Soulodre and baby daughter of St. Boniface, Man., are spending a short holiday with Mrs. Soulodre's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Leggett in town.

SEPTEMBER 24th

Central Christian Church was the setting of a double ring wedding ceremony on Saturday, September 20th at 7:30 p.m., when Glenna Fay, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brunker, became the bride of Mr. Morley B. Jones, youngest son of Mrs. M. M. Jones and the late Mr. William Jones of Hanna, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. George Matthewson of the Hope Valley district had the misfortune to lose their home and contents by fire on Friday, September 12th.

What appeared at first to be quite a serious fire occurred in Edgerton on Monday afternoon, but due to the quick efficient work of the fire trucks and all those who so readily rendered assistance the blaze, after completely burning the oil warehouse in connection with Miles Garage, was extinguished.

Funeral services were held on Sunday for Mr. William John Pollard who passed away on Thursday, Sept. 18th, in the Royal Alex Hospital in Edmonton. The late Mr. Pollard was born in Uxbridge, Ontario in 1881.

Miss Patricia Spence of the Municipal Office staff left for Calgary and Hanna districts over the week-end where she will spend her annual vacation.

Miss Ione Dundas is home on her annual vacation from her duties in the Bank of Montreal in Edmonton.

Mrs. B. Hodgkiss Sr. returned home last week from Ontario where she has been visiting relatives and friends for the past three months.

Miss L. Tweedy R.N. is now with the Wainwright School Division as their Public Health Nurse and wishes to announce that the regular Saturday morning office hours have been resumed.

Miss Mona Ganderton left the first of last week for Princeton, B.C. where she has accepted a position on the nursing staff at the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tory motored to Edmonton on Monday with their son Elmer who has entered the University of Alberta's Faculty of Arts and Science to major in Chemistry.

After spending the summer months with his parents in town, Mr. Roy Reynolds left for the States on Wednesday of last week, where he will enter the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and take post graduate work on his degree in Political Economy.

OCTOBER 1st

The Fashion Show and Tea held in the Separate School Auditorium on Friday afternoon and evening proved a real success, when the Fashion Shop, sponsored by The New Canadian Club, displayed the latest in fall styles. There was a capacity crowd at both afternoon and evening showings.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilkins were guests of honor at a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jackson at Greenshields. About sixteen friends motored out from Wainwright and a social evening was enjoyed.

On Thursday afternoon, October 2nd, at 5:30 p.m., the Drum Band of the Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry Regiment, will "Beat Retreat" on the Main Street in the Town of Wainwright, in front of the Post Office Building.

Some twenty relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Girard on Wednesday evening of last week for a surprise party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goddard who are leaving Wainwright to make their home in Viking.

Spectators came from many points as guests of the army, Mayor and Mrs. J. Robinson and a number of others from Wainwright were invited to be present for "Exercice Adieu" and very cordially entertained. A buffet lunch and a high tea were served. At 6:00 p.m. the drums of the P.P.C.L.I. beat "Retreat" and the flag was lowered.

A new minister has come to St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church, Wainwright, in the person of Rev. L. L. Young, B.A., D.D. The Rev. Young is appointed as Pastor to the above church and will be in residence in the new Manse building.

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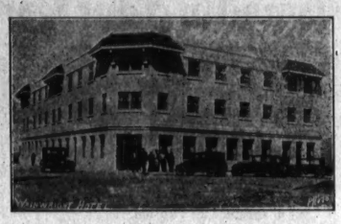

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Thursday
7:30 Choir Practise
Sunday, January 11th
11:00 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Prayer
3:00 Irma
7:30 Evening Prayer

REV. F. B. SMITH, L. TH. Rector.

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Sunday, January 11th, 1948

11 a.m. Morning Worship:
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12 a.m. Sunday School—Young Peoples Crusader Group:
"Giving and taking in Christian Friendship"
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship:
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C.G.I.T. Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. Midweek Service
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7th: 1. The First Book of the Psalms:
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The Church will hold its annual congregational meeting on January 12th (Monday); all adult members and adherents invited.
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Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting Thursday 8:00 p.m.
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D. BUHLER, Pastor

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11 a.m. "Youth for Christ"
The Sunday School, the Explorers and the Young People's Society will take part in this service.
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REV. H. ROSENKE, Pastor

RETROSPECT 1947

Mrs. Spence arrived from Edmonton on Monday to visit with her daughter Mrs. Peter Spady in Cut Edge.

Mrs. E. Ohrn returned to her home at Warburg on Tuesday's bus after visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. Middlemass, her wee daughter returned home with her.

Mrs. Claire Goddard who recently returned after several years in New Zealand and has been visiting with her father, Mr. A. Dupre, in Vancouver, is a guest at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stafford.

Mrs. Harold Murray is here from Edmonton visiting with Miss A. Zehnder for a short holiday.

OCTOBER 8th

The Fall and Winter seasons activities of the Wainwright and District Board of Trade were ushered in on Monday evening the 29th of Sept. when the executive of that organization met to lay plans for coming campaigns.

A special meeting on Friday night at 8:00 p.m. will be held in the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, when the presbytery representatives from Edmonton will be in attendance to induct and introduce the new minister, Rev. L. L. Young, BA, DD, who has recently arrived from Nova Scotia.

A miscellaneous bridal shower was held on Tuesday evening last at the home of Miss Frances Carroll, in honor of Miss Mary Hedlund a bride-elect of this week.

Over 400 children from the Wainwright public and separate schools were guests of the R.C.M.P. on Wednesday morning last when a four film picture was shown in the Elite theatre. Mr. F. May, proprietor, of the theatre kindly donated the use of the hall for the event.

We are pleased to report that Mr. H. H. Pilgrim who has been seriously ill, is now much improved in health although still confined to the hospital.

George Tory who is with the navy stationed on the west coast is enjoying a leave from his naval duties with his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Tory in town.

Mr. E. Shaw left the first of the week for Nova Scotia where he will visit with relatives and friends for a short holiday.

Miss Janice Beasley had the misfortune to have her horse fall while riding to school throwing her and causing shock and serious bruises. She received treatment in the local hospital and is now feeling much better again.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Speed for many years of happiness. Their wedding took place in Edmonton, Sept. 30th. Mrs. Speed is the former Miss Doris Patterson.

OCTOBER 15th

Mrs. William Mann left on Thursday morning of last week for Red Pass Junction where she will join her husband who is employed with the C.N.R. at that point.

A very pleasant social evening arranged by the members of the St. Thomas W.A. was held at the vicarage in honor of Mrs. Charles Kennedy who is leaving to reside in Islay in the near future.

To mark the recent wedding anniversaries of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Valleau and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kinghorn, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Valleau entertained at a dinner party in the Wainwright Hotel Cafe last Friday evening.

St. Thomas' (Ang.) Church was the scene of a pretty autumn wedding on Thursday, October 9th, when Miss Mary Hedlund, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hedlund, ex changed marriage vows with Mr. George H. Girard, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Girard, both of Wainwright, Rev. F. E. Smith performed the ceremony before an altar decorated with autumn leaves and flowers. Wedding music was provided by Mrs. Smith at the organ.

A large fire at the Gold Standard Oils Refinery Ltd, caused extensive damage Tuesday morning, when an overheated boiler ignited frame work nearby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith of Calgary were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Smith's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brunker in town.

Mr. Milton Roper of Pasadena, California, returned on Monday after a holiday spent with his nephew and neice, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barritt.

Misses Doris and Martha Johnson of Edmonton are visiting with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnson at Fabyan.

OCTOBER 22nd

Mrs. J. Sutherland and Miss Jean Rutherford entertained at a cup and saucer bridal shower at the home of their mother Mrs. P. Rutherford, on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Marjory (Midge) Cofield, a bride elect of this week.

On Saturday afternoon a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Phil Inkin in honor of Mrs. Harold Clifford (nee Margaret Shotts of Ribstone).

Edmonton, Oct. 8.—Alberta Health Minister Cross said today the Provincial government has obtained a lease with option, on the Canadian Army's Wainwright training centre hospital and will use it to care for 300 mental defectives.

Mr. E. Carter, Supervisor of the Dormitory is in an Edmonton hospital where he is receiving special treatment, During his absence Mrs. Stuart is assisting Mrs. Carter at the Dormitory.

Two local sons in the persons of Mr. Jack Gregson and his son Bob, returned recently from Ocean Falls, B.C. to spend a week with Jack's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Gregson in town; renewing many old acquaintances and enjoying some successful shooting, they left for home last Wednesday taking with them among other things a fine 8¼ lb. goose.

After a holiday with her sister Mrs. W. Rathwell, Mrs. Roy Goodkey returned home to Edmonton early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wachter enjoyed a visit the past week from Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson of Waterways who are planning to make their home in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Glenn and son George motored down from Edmonton and visited friends in Wainwright and district over the Thanksgiving week-end. Alan is working with the V.L.A. in Edmonton.

OCTOBER 29th

About one hundred and forty members and adherents of the United Church gathered at the Masonic Hall Friday evening, October 17th, under the sponsorship of the Ladies Aid, at a reception of welcome for Rev. and Mrs. M. Dobson who arrived here from Calgary in July to replace Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Whelan.

Miss Margaret Voros arrived on Saturday from Edmonton to spend a holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Voros at Fabyan. She is employed as stewardess with C.P.A. out of Edmonton.

Recently the members of the newly formed Girls' Auxiliary of the Anglican Church and the members of the Junior W.A. group met with their mothers in the parish hall for a farewell meeting, held in honour of Mrs. Charles Kennedy.

Bringing the water system of the town up to date by the installation of the newest design well pump was completed last week when Turner Electric finished the wiring of this mechanical lifter.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Roberts this week include Mrs. W. Van Dusen, Mrs. W. J. Connolley, Mrs. Charlie Slavin, Mrs. Austin Grant, Mrs. Norman Dodge and Marlene and Mrs. Lyle Malden. These ladies motored from Edmonton on Tuesday and are visiting for the balance of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson left the first of the week to motor to points south in Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and Calgary; while away Jim will attend a Municipal Convention in Lethbridge.

Messrs. F. E. McLeod and Gordon Graham attended the Hospital Association convention, held in Edmonton recently, as delegates from the local board.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Alex Plater is now out of the hospital although still getting around on crutches.

Mrs. Agnes Olson returned home last week after a three month holiday spent in her native home in Norway. She reports a very pleasant trip and conditions quite good.

NOVEMBER 5th

A decided asset to the business and shopping district was added last week when the Precision Radio Co. opened their new premises in the new "Entrance House" building, recently completed by Mr. K. Tory.

The Wainwright United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Tuesday, October 28th, at 3:00 p.m. when Miss Edna Margaret Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Taylor of Hope Valley, exchanged marriage vows with Mr. Kenneth Wm. Challenger, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Challenger of Edgerton. The Rev. M. Dobson officiated.

A triple birthday party was held on Tuesday, October 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harding in the form of a sumptuous turkey dinner followed by a social evening. The guests of honour who all celebrated their birthdays the same day were Mrs. E. J. Cooper who was eighty-eight years old, Mr. Cy Abernethy was seventy-five years and Miss Jessie Marie Harding who was thirteen.

Mrs. Roy Carl entertained a number of relatives and friends on Saturday afternoon, November 1st, in honor of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Cooper, who that day celebrated her 88th birthday.

An interesting and well attended party was held in Gerald school on Thursday, October 30th, when a large gathering of the people of the district met to honor Mr. and Mrs. J. McMann, who will soon be leaving for their new home near Olds, Alta.

Now for the first time since July 1942, it is no longer necessary to have a coupon book or to have ration coupons to purchase any foodstuffs. During the week-end the announcement came from Ottawa that all ration controls on sugar were lifted.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pigeon returned home last week after their annual vacation spent at the coast visiting in Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

Mrs. Dave Floyd with baby daughter Dianne, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs W. A. Kinghorn returned to her home in Edmonton at the week-end.

Master Billy Stranahan recently received a German electric train from his uncle, Mr. Ivan Jackson, who was in Germany working with UNNRA at the time it was mailed—July. The train arrived here about the middle of October.

Mr. J. Perkins left on Monday for Edmonton, where he will be an exhibitor at the Edmonton Fall Show. He was accompanied by Mrs. Perkins and Brian.

NOVEMBER 12th

Under the supervision and guidance of Mr. J. S. Robbiee, District Agriculturist, the initial meeting of the Wainwright Calf Club for 1947 46 was held Wednesday last in the I.O.O.F. hall.

The Wainwright and District Board of Trade played host to Mr. M. J. Coldwell when he visited Wainwright on Saturday last.

A pretty afternoon wedding took place on Saturday, October 25th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Funk of Irma, when their elder daughter Nora Sharney was united in marriage with John Albert Taylor, third son of Mrs. A. A. Taylor and the late Mr. Taylor, of Fabyan.

Mr. Frank Herbert Witherell passed away in the Wainwright municipal hospital on Thursday, November 6th, at the age of seventy one years and six months.

A large showing of 122 purebred cattle, sheep and swine took place on the School of Agriculture grounds Vermilion last Wednesday, November 5. Jack Perkins Wainwright Yorkshires captured 6 ribbons winning first prize in every class entered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnson of Fabyan left at the week-end for a winter vacation with relatives and friends in Kentucky, Florida and other points south.

Miss Florence Shaw left on Monday for Regina where she plans to complete a course in railroad telegraphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barritt have as their guest Mrs. Barritt's mother Mrs. Turner from New Westminster B.C.

Mrs. W. J. Huntingford left on Tuesday's flyer for a vacation with relatives and friends in Marmora, Ont and other points east.

NOVEMBER 19th

The marriage took place on Friday November 7th at 10:00 a.m. of Miss Velva Dorothy Hill, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill, Wainwright, to Mr. Philip Albert Lapierre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lapierre of Greenshields in the Blessed Sacrament Church with Rev. Father J. P. Ehmann officiating at the ceremony.

Mrs. D. McClennon is spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Calvin, N.D. having been called there on receipt of news of the serious illness of her brother who has since passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins returned home Sunday night after a visit to Winnipeg where Jack attended the U.G.G. convention as a delegate.

Mrs. J. Carroll returned home on Monday from Morrin, Alta., where she spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. E. Dick and family. Master Bobby Dick who had been visiting with her in Wainwright accompanied her home to Morrin.

The Wainwright United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Friday, November 14, at 2:30 p.m. when Miss Eileen Plaxton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Plaxton of Wainwright, was united in marriage with Mr. Clifford Henry Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher of Fabyan. The Rev. M. Dobson officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gullekson motored home on Friday last from Hanna where they had spent a week visiting with their son.

Miss Elaine Glass who has been transferred from the local C.N.R. freight office to the Edson branch left at the week-end for her new position.

Assistant Commissioner A. T. Belcher, officer in charge of K Division of the R.C.M.P., paid an official visit to Cpl. D. H. Beeching last week

Mrs. H. Parkhurst returned home on Monday after spending a few days in the city where she attended classes featuring the new Radio Wave permanents.

November 11th, 1947, passed quietly and reverently, but the population of Wainwright and district stopped to pay homage to the dead of two World Wars during a cenotaph and church service held at the Clock Tower and the Elite Theatre.

Residents of Roseberry and district gathered at Roseberry school on Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. H. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. B. Oldham, old time residents who are moving to Wainwright.

The First United Church at Vermilion was the scene of a pretty wedding on Friday, November 7th, at 2 p.m. when Miss Annie Alma McFaddyen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron McFaddyen of Islay, became the bride of Mr. Arnold Edward Winter, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Winter of the Battleview district. The Rev. Relkie officiating.

NOVEMBER 26th

No more than a handful, and only 11 people to be exact, turned out to the fire brigade re-organization meeting held Wednesday last at the Town Hall.

Mr. J. Boos acted as chairman of the meeting with Mr. J. Morgan acting as secretary. The general trend

Gordon Dorland and Eva Arneson were married at Wainwright Friday, November 21st. They entertained at their wedding dance in the Memorial Hall the same evening, at which a large crowd thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Wednesday evening, November 19, was the time when the Gerald Club held their chicken supper and bazaar in the IOOF Hall Wainwright. Both events were very successful and crowds of people partook of the supper, or bought many of the articles on display.

Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Raynone and small son Micheal David arrived at the week-end from Weybridge, Surrey, England, to visit at the home of Mrs. Raynone's uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilbraham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cook have moved to their new home on 8th Ave West and Mr. and Mrs. M. Roth of Fabyan are moving into the Cook house which they recently purchased

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson have gone to Chilliwack, B.C. where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Voros left on Sunday to motor to Edmonton to attend the wedding of their daughter Vera which is to take place on Thursday November 27th.

DECEMBER 3rd

Mr. and Mrs. M. Raynone and their 5 year old son Micheal, arrived last week in Wainwright to make their new home here after leaving their former English home in Weybridge, Surrey.

Tall white tapers and white chrysanthemums decorated Holy Trinity Church Thursday evening for the wedding of Miss Vera Nancy Voros, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Voros of Wainwright, and Gordon E. McIlroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McIlroy of Calgary. The Rev. Canon W. M. Nainby performed the ceremony.

Mr. F. E. McLeod purchased a new eight passenger Chrysler "Windsor" sedan last week from the local dealer Leo's Garage for Ambulance service.

Her many friends in Wainwright were shocked to hear by radio, of the sudden death of Mrs. C. W. McBride on Thursday of last week when her body was found by a C.N.R. porter on the train near Edson and reported to the R.C.M.P. She had been travelling from Yorkton to Vancouver to visit with relatives. Death was found to be from natural causes, the deceased having suffered from a heart condition for several years.

Funeral services for Frank Herbert Witherell were held on Saturday afternoon November 8th, at 2 o'clock in the Edgerton United Church. Rev. George Steele officiated.

At a meeting held Friday night last it was decided by those present to stage the annual event again this year by holding Wainwright Days on Wednesday and Thursday, December 10th and 11th.

Mrs. A. J. Pierce arrived on Monday from Whitehorse, Y.T., to visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Peacock, she drove down over the Alaska highway with friends and reports the road in good condition, but rather slippery.

We understand Mr. Frank Wright who for the past months has been with the CNR in Winnipeg has been transferred back to Wainwright and is busy at the CN Depot once more.

DECEMBER 10th

News of the death of Mrs. Lillian Doris Jackson, beloved wife of Marshall Jackson, came as a shock to friends and relatives in the district on Thursday, December 4th, when she passed away in the Manville hospital a few days after her baby son was born. She had suffered from a heart condition for a number of years and failed to rally after the death of her wee son who passed away on Monday.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that a letter of congratulation be sent to Miss M. White on behalf of the Board on her winning of the Governor General's Medal for the Highest Standing in grade IX throughout the Province and Wainwright School Divisions. Cd.

The whist drive sponsored by the Catholic Ladies Aid on Wednesday, December 3rd, was very well attended with some twenty-nine tables in play.

On Thursday night of last week Mr. L. A. Myggland, District Deputy Grand Master of Wainwright Lodge A.F. & A.M., accompanied by eight of his fellow members, journeyed to Chauvin to pay his official visit to that lodge.

Mrs. F. Stranahan left, last week for an extended holiday visiting with relatives in the States.

Mrs. G. Spence of Calgary spent a few days visiting with her sister Mrs. F. Stevenson in town prior to leaving to make her home at Port Radius, N.W.T.

Mr. Phil Pawsey arrived in town last week-end to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pawsey, on vacation from his T.C.A. duties in Monoton, N.B.

DECEMBER 17th

Tuesday afternoon members of the Sew and So Club gathered at the home of Mrs. L. Grey to honor three of our members who have recently moved to Wainwright to make their home. The afternoon was spent in visiting. Then Mrs. Smith presented a table lamp to Mrs. L. Gray and Mrs. H. Taylor respectively, and a gift of purse, gloves and scarf to Mrs. J. Ballentine, with the well wishes of the Sew and So Club for happiness in their new homes.

A miscellaneous surprise shower was held last Thursday afternoon, December 11th, when a number of relatives and close friends gathered in honor of Miss Mildred Alexander at the home of her parents.

We understand that Mr. Ed. Patterson has recently purchased Mr. Tom Patterson's farm. For that reason Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Roach moved to the Aleck Plater home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hartling left the first of the week for vacation in California and expect to be gone until after the new year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClennon left on Sunday night's train for Barrie, Ont. where they will spend a few months visiting with relatives.

Mr. L. W. Davis formerly of Heath and now of Wainwright left by motor last week for Ontario where he will visit relatives and friends.

For some time the members of the Wainwright Gospel Mission under the leadership of Mr. D. Bubber have felt a need for larger Sunday meeting places, and a deal was made during the past few weeks whereas the former Caron's Hall was sold to this organization.

Mr. Dave Jones is at present a patient in the Colonel Mewburn hospital in Edmonton and it is hoped he will soon be improved in health.

DECEMBER 24th

Miss Mildred Alexander, a bride-elect of this month, was pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening, December 16th, when over thirty friends and neighbors called and presented her with a lovely tea set, dessert set and water set to mark her forthcoming marriage.

Mr. Charles Ford of Fabyan made many a little girl unhappy last Saturday night by winning the doll that was raffled off between the two evening shows at the Elite by the New Canadian Club.

Mrs. W. Gray enjoyed a visit last week from her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Budgen and children who motored here from Dapp Alberta and returned home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maddex and children, accompanied by Miss Kay Drummond, left on Saturday to motor to Winnipeg to spend the Christmas season with relatives. They are driving a new Ford car from Wainwright Motors.

Mr. Ray Munro of Rosedale, B.C. is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lymon Alexander prior to his forthcoming marriage to Miss Mildred Alexander which will take place Monday, December 29th.

Mrs. Rossie Taylor and son Gerald leave this week for Toronto to spend the holiday with relatives.

Santa Claus has a new convert in Mr. Cecil Hicox, who has just been lucky enough to get a new Minneapolis-Moline U Tractor from the local agent.

On Sunday afternoon last, December 21st, Mayor Robinson officially opened the new curling sheet at the Wainwright Curling Rink.

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GREENSHIELDS

The casr mild weather has greatly added to the pleasure of the Christmas and New Year holidays. Many family gatherings and dinner parties have been enjoyed in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes (nee June White) spent Christmas with her parents and family, returning to Wetaskiwin December 27th.

Miss Sheila Bishop left for Calgary December 27th, where she was to begin a nurse's training course. She was granted New Years leave so has had a few days with her parents this past week.

Miss M. Spack has spent the holidays at her home in Vegreville.

A number of measles cases were reported during the holidays. Among those ill were Phyllis Murray, Lyle Rosch and Jean Kett, whom we hope are quite recovered now.

Mr. Steve Fossen was here on business between trains Wednesday.

Miss Shirley Patterson spent three days with Mr. and Mrs. I. Stauffer this past week.

Misses Doris and Patsy White visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jackson and family on Friday.

Master Gordon Stewart became suddenly ill last Friday noon and has since been in hospital, not for long though we hope.

Monday morning saw pupils and teachers wending their way back to school after a long exciting holiday.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gardiner of Gilt Edge announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Beulah Mary to Harold Stenar Myggland, second eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Myggland of Wainwright. A candlelight wedding will take place January 23rd, 1948, at 8 p.m. at the Nidoras Lutheran Church, 47 Merrivale St., New Westminster, B.C., Rev. Frithjof Eide officiating.

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Dated January 5th, 1948

OLIVER G. GRIFFITHS, Sec.-Treas.
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HEATH

Miss Amy Bouck and Miss Edith Turnbull who are at the Two Rivers Bible Institute at Carlea, Sask., spent the Christmas holidays at their homes here.

Lloyd Jones spent the latter part of his holidays in Edmonton with his sister Mrs. H. Woonton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes and family motored to Provost to spend Christmas with relatives. Wesley spent the holiday with his grandparents there 'till New Year's Day when his parents went for him.

Mrs. Violet Davis of Edmonton spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith also with her children Violet and Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Fyfe and family motored to Manville where they spent Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patterson and family motored to Wetaskiwin on Boxing Day where they spent several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bogart of Edmonton were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford.

Mrs. C. Dewar of Chauvin spent several days last week visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cahill.

Mr. Kenneth Davis who is in charge of the Mockford farm spent Christmas in Edmonton with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Murray of Wainwright spent several days including New Year's with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray.

The district extends its best wishes to the former Miss Florence Wilkinson formerly of Heath now of Vancouver whose marriage took place on December 19th to Mr. Dachen, also of Vancouver. They are honeymooning at Chilliwack, B.C.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Nick Wikzyk (nee Greta Wilkinson) of Vancouver, on the birth of a son, David Alexander.

The annual Heath school concert was held in the school on Tuesday, December 23rd, in the evening after a much enjoyed program gifts and treats were distributed by Santa. This being followed by a beautiful lunch. That evening after the concert Miss Joyce Strois, the teacher, left to spend Christmas with her parents in Wainwright.

The Heath Gospel Mission Sunday School held their annual Christmas program on Sunday afternoon, December 21st. This event was much enjoyed by a record attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bouck and family of Caratairs spent Christmas at the Turnbull home.

Mr. A. Friebel who attends Bible school at Caron, Sask., left on Monday night's flyer after having helped Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes at the store during the holiday season.

Mr. F. S. Ford trucked in a load of lumber from Sugden, Alberta, the end of the week.

W.H.S. HI-LITES

Preparations for inter-school curling have been made, the first games scheduled to begin at the beginning of the new year. Ten teams have been drawn up, skipped by Dorothy Cameron, John White, Lorne McLeod Stan Oracheski, Glenn Alexander, Harry Alwood, Eldon Dallyn and Chester Newell. Two teams have been entered from th Separate School skipped by John McKenzie and Robert Croteau. A club was formed with Lorne McLeod nominated President and Chester Newell as Secretary-Treasurer. Mr. Humphries has kindly helped with the organization and encouragement of the group. Thanks goes also to the members and executive of the Wainwright Curling Club for their co-operation with the students by giving up time for the high-school games.

The Dorm table tennis tournament came to a close last week with Joyce McMinn and Chester Newell as the winners.

A Christmas party was held at the Dorm on the evening of Wednesday, December 17. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Simonson and the high-school teachers. A good time was had by all.

On December 19 many of the students along with high-school guests from Irma enjoyed the annual Christmas dance held in the Separate School Auditorium. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, the former a teacher from Irma, and Miss Lucille Touchette from Heath. Most of the local teachers were present also.

Presentment of the Governor-General's award, the bronze medal for merit in grade nine departmentals was made to Mary White by Mr. H. Spencer. Prior to the presentment an address was given by Mr. Simonson. The dance terminated at one o'clock. —Con.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the Doctors and the Matron, Nurses and Staff for their efficient care and kindness to me during my recent stay in the hospital, also my thanks to the many friends who called, or sent cards or parcels and especially the ladies of the L.O.B.A.

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Man's wrist watch found in town on Christmas Eve. Owner may obtain same by proving ownership and paying for this advertisement at The Star Office.

LOST

One Hereford steer lost in the vicinity of Fabyan. Branded 4E on left hip. Anyone having information regarding this animal please contact —Stuart Fenton, Phone R212, Irma

Set of Military Brushes lost on 3rd Ave. West in town on Christmas Eve. Finder please return to the Star Office. Reward. (21-1)

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Donald Golding, Grade Five

Every class had a Christmas party.

The Grade One's had their party on Monday for the twelve pre-school children, and had their own party on Tuesday. They played games, unwrapped their gifts and had treats.

The Grade Two and Three pupils had their party on Tuesday. The main feature was the Christmas tree.

The Grade Four's held their party on Tuesday. They unwrapped their gifts and had their Christmas cake. Mrs. Wilson gave each pupil a bag with candy canes, oranges, etc. in them. They also had a tree.

The Grade Five and Six party was held on Tuesday from 1:30 to 4:15. They had a concert with the students taking part. They had lunch and unwrapped their gifts. They too, had a tree.

The Grade Seven party was held on Tuesday. They played games, had an amateur program and unwrapped their gifts. The party was held from 1:30 to 3:00. The Seventh Grade had a Christmas tree.

The Grade Eight students had a Christmas party on December 29. The party started at 7:30 with an Amateur Program. This was followed by a treasure hunt, the treasure consisting of two boxes of candy. Next there was a dance. After this Christmas carols were played on the gramaphone and Naoma Mockford read the verse entitled "The Night Before Christmas." After this, the gifts were handed out, with a bag of candy for each. This was followed by lunch. The party ended at 11:00. About thirty four attended the party. Miss Mabey and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were invited, but we regret to say they could not make it. The Eighth Grade had a tree also. —J.H.

WHITE CLOUD

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bisson and small son Robert spent the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Plaxton.

Mr. Earl Babb of Bassano visited at the Babb home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Myer and children of Lloydminster spent Christmas with relatives in the district.

Mr. Andrew Bisson is leaving soon for a trip to Eastern Canada to visit his father.

Mrs. Johny Pasztor held the lucky ticket at White Cloud school and she received a wool blanket.

Mr. Lester Babb held the lucky tickets for the turkey at the Flats and the baby doll at Gilt Edge.

Mrs. E. Myer and children are spending several months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Wilhelm in the Gilt Edge district while the Wilhelm family visit relatives in Livingston, Ont.

Mr. C. McClennon and Mr. Bill McClennon visited at the Babb home one evening last week.

CONTINUATION OF MR. AND MRS. HENRY EYBEN CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

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ing during the supper hour were all the members of the branches of the Eyben family.

Out-of-town guests present at the reception were Mr. and Mrs. M. Wings and four children Albert, Sylvia, Tommy and Myrna of Portland Ore.; Mr. Herman Eyben of New Westminster; Mrs. Holliday of Elk Point.

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Please note and be governed accordingly.

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